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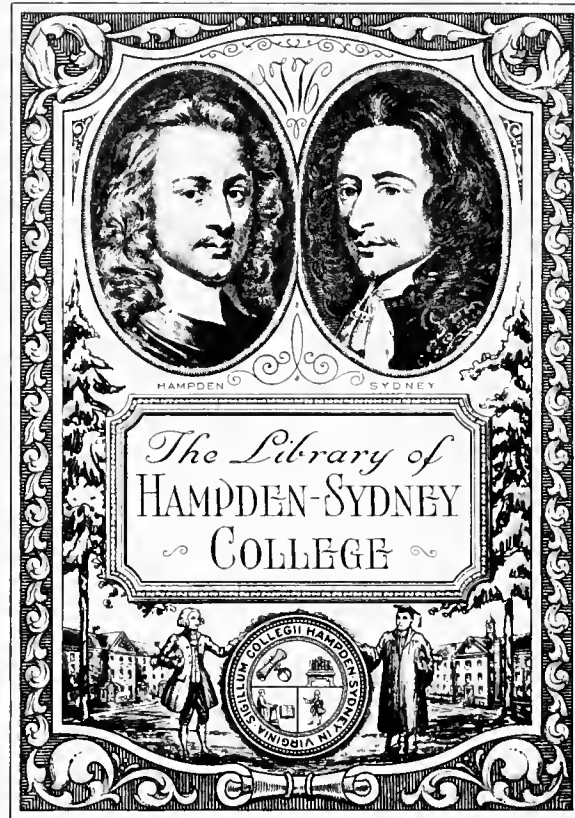
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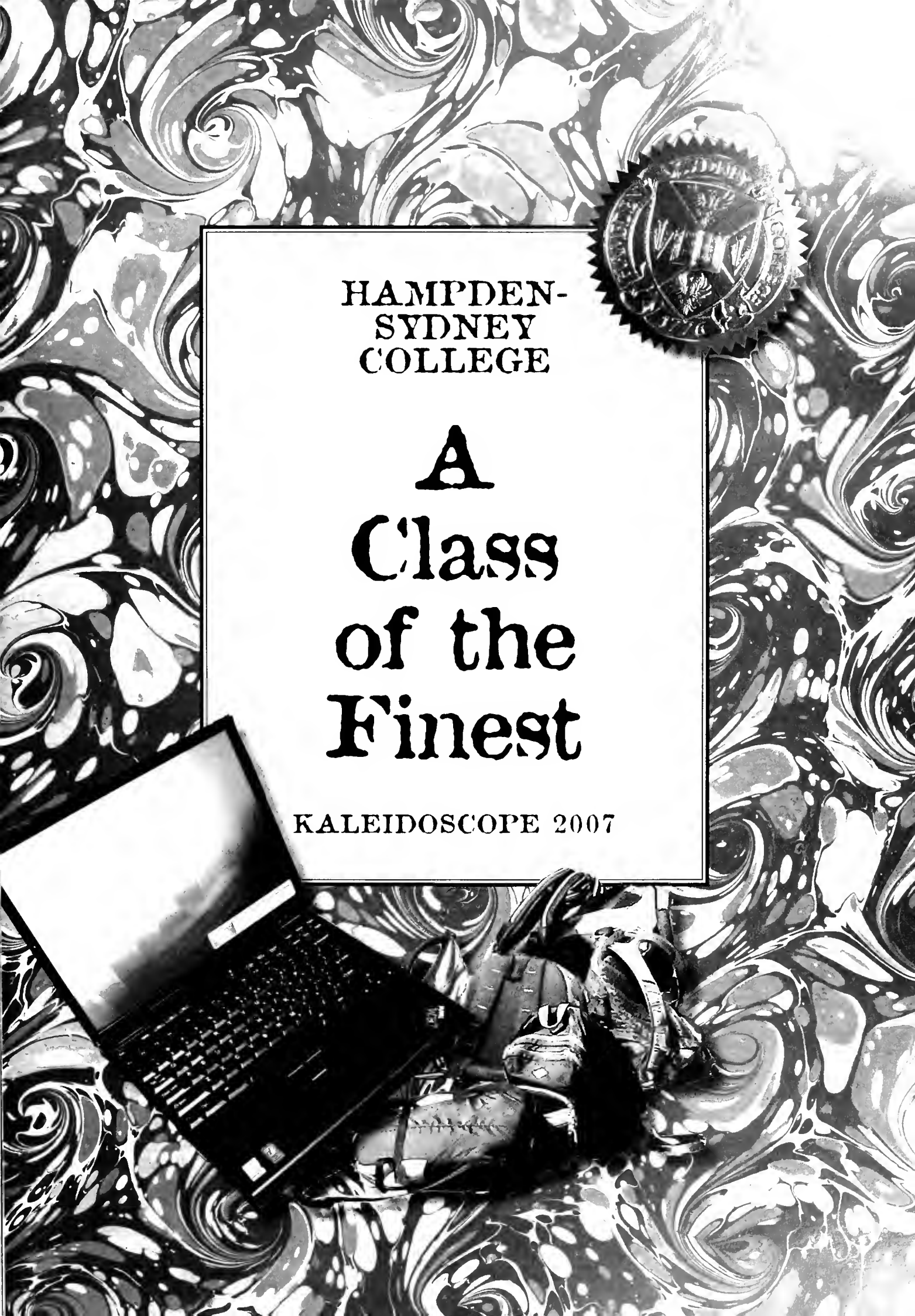
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Editor's Note

Let me begin by expressing my sincere gratitude to Mr. Tommy Shomo, the director of Public Relations, and Dr. Richard McClintok and Mr. Kevin Tuck at the Publications Office at Hampden-Sydney College for offering me the task of completing this Yearbook. My experience in crafting the 2005 *Kaleidoscope*, earlier this year, prepared me to take up a second project and complete it in a matter of months.

I began working on the 2007 *Kaleidoscope* in the fall of 2007 by looking back into the past year to reflect on the most memorable moments. Most importantly, I focused on the senior class and their achievements and contributions to the College. The 2007 *Kaleidoscope* has been titled 'A Class of the Finest' in order to dedicate the Yearbook solely to the class of 2007. Inside you will find the faculty and senior portraits, athletics information, social and honor fraternities, and glimpses from the Commencement of 2007.

The enrollment class of 2007 came from twenty-four states and the countries of Bhutan, Burma, England, France, Nepal, and the Philippines. According to Dean Anita Garland, the Dean of Admissions, there were 306 applicants admitted, the largest applicant pool to that date in the 228-year history of the College. There were twenty legacies in the class and one student was a direct descendent of Algernon Sydney, the English patriot for whom the College is named. A total of 103 of the students shared their birthdays and the most common nickname in the class was 'Mike.'

It is only every so often that a Yearbook is published which focuses exclusively on the graduating class. The 2007 *Kaleidoscope* serves as an archive to preserve the events of the year and the memories of the students, especially the senior class. It is my pleasure to present to you all the 2007 *Kaleidoscope: A Class of the Finest*.



Dear Class of 2007:

This yearbook reflects the memories of a treasured period in time that will be forever a focus of all those who lived the days of the Class of 2007. As you reflect on your time at this old college, you will return to these pages to remember and reconstruct the life and stories of what is and will become an even more storied history. The names and faces of classmates, faculty, coaches and campus personalities captured within these pages will be the foundation of the retelling of the tales and wonderful memories for those who left their mark as members of the Class of 2007. And while eyes grow dim and memories fade, these pages will return you to the halcyon days when you were young, carefree and beginning to appreciate the time you shared together at Hampden-Sydney College.

Many of the issues, events and people in the spotlight during your time at Hampden-Sydney will be remembered, though some less than others. Presidents Reagan and Ford passed away during your time here. Hurricane Katrina devastated New Orleans and brought two students to our campus as educational refugees. Philip Sidney, relative of H-SC founder Algernon Sidney, spent time with us in your classrooms. We beat Macon in football each of your years here by the largest four-year combined score in the schools' rivalry and finally, in your last year, our basketball team beat them on our home-court as well as proceeded to become ODAC Champions! The iPod was born and cell phones, along with those dead zones on campus, were everywhere apparent. A new "turf" field, the first artificial playing field at H-SC, was installed; a fitness center built in Kirby Field House; Johns expanded and renovations to Gammon begun in sight of a new stadium to be opened in the fall of 2007, making the Class of 2007 the first alumni group to enjoy it. The Class of 2007 has watched a new library being built and many will return in the fall to help open it, the largest building ever constructed at Hampden-Sydney. Many in the class participated in service projects in Honduras and Belize. The European Union grew stronger, President George W. Bush served in the capacity of world leader for your entire time at the College, Iraq was the focus of much of our international attention while terrorism became the foundation of much of our evening news. And these notables barely scratch the surface of what could and should be remembered from your days on campus.

Together, from your first night on campus, we discussed, read about and studied what it means to be a Hampden-Sydney man, Honor and the Honor Code, Brotherhood and the bonds that were developed at the College that would last a lifetime, Integrity and how important it is in our lives, Leadership (and Followership) and how often the challenge to be a leader will pass to you during your life. We also visited the topics of Scholarship and Intellect and how firm a foundation students at Hampden-Sydney have for these two pillars of our classrooms.

These memories, and so much more, will be part of your discussions as you meet across the years and gather with one or two or thirty to relive the memories of a time and place special to you. I wish you well. Thank you for the treasure of memories you have provided me. Keep in touch with one another and with Alma Mater. Remember to provide for future generations of Hampden-Sydney men as those whom you follow have provided for you. And always, always remember that you are first and foremost a Hampden-Sydney gentleman.

With fond regards,

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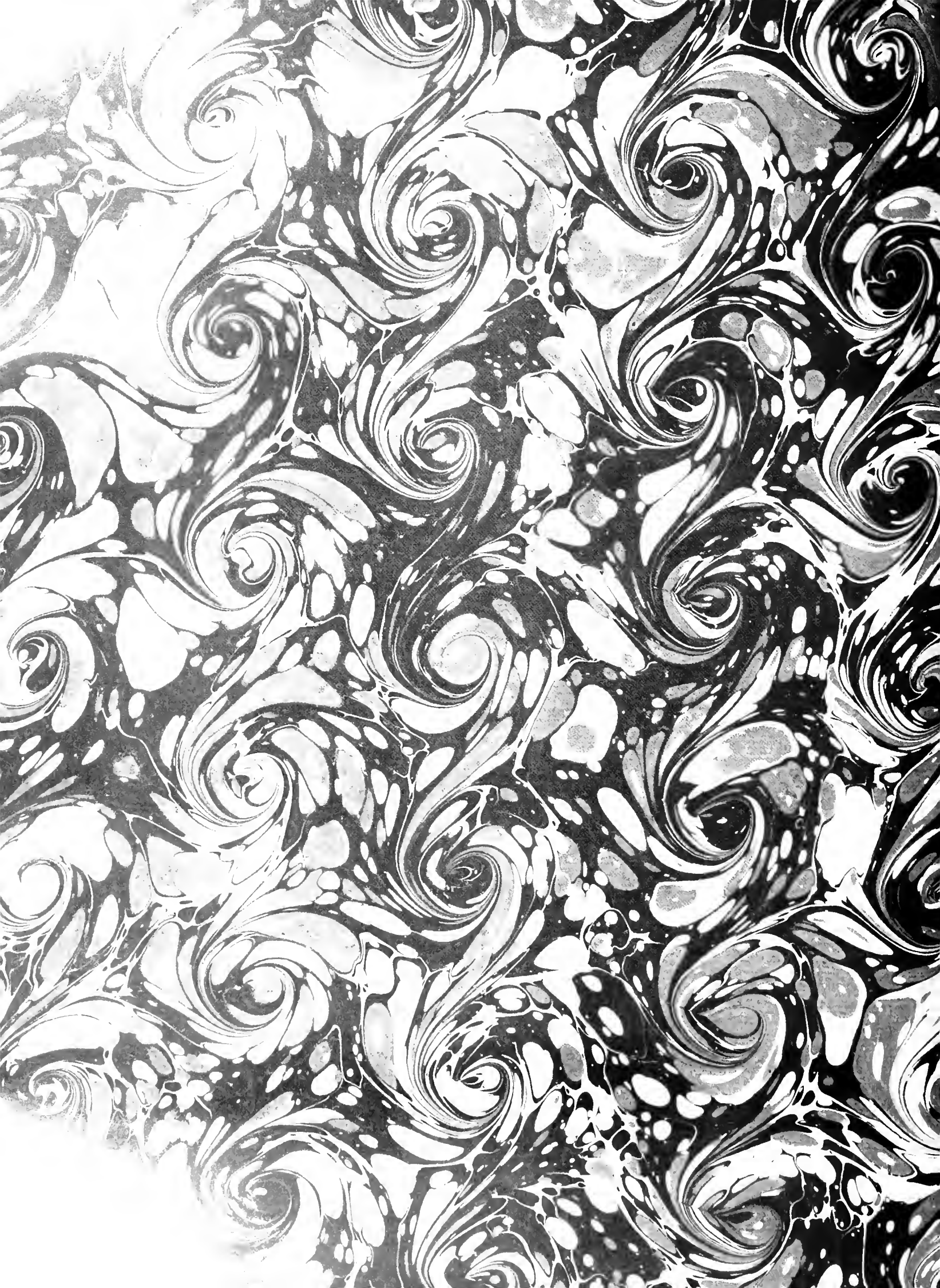
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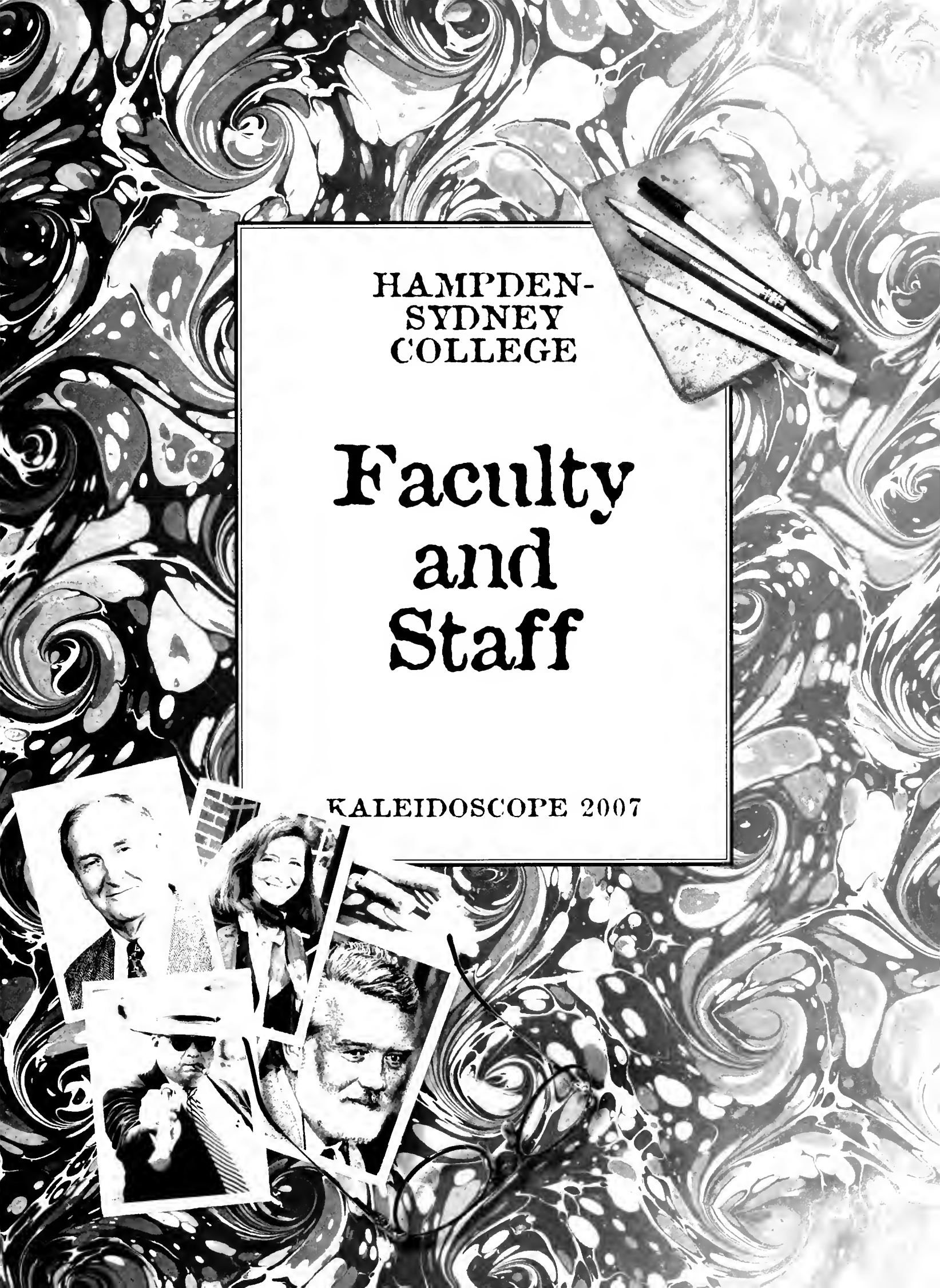


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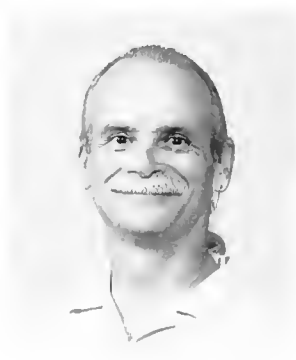
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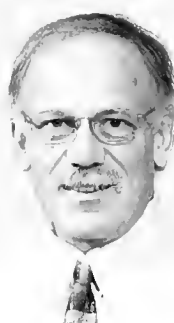
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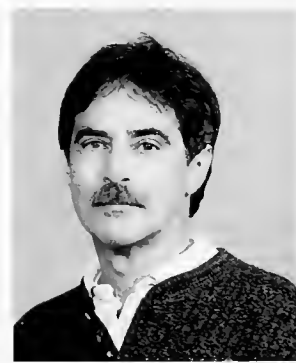
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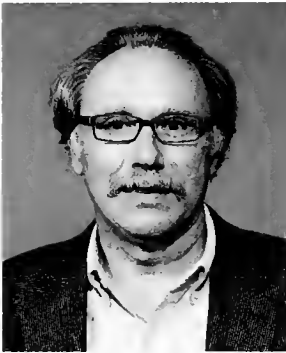
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The Class of 2007

As we began our freshman year at Hampden-Sydney, we embarked on a journey during which we would meet many new people and form many strong bonds. Our class consisted of young men from all over the World, all joining the three classes above us and the many that have graduated before. From the thirteen guys who lived on my hall freshman year, to the roughly three hundred freshmen with whom we signed the Honor Code, we all have the common bond of being a Hampden-Sydney Man.

When we entered into the bond that first day, we had little clue where we would end up or what each would do in life. Some of us would head off to medical, law, or graduate school while others would head straight into the “real world.” Though our jobs and occupations may take us to different places, we still share many of the same memories of our time on “the Hill.”

We will all remember the sights and smells of campus: how the first floor of Morton Hall smelled of cigar smoke or the cold walk from our dorms to class at 8:30 on a winter morning. Others will remember football games, bands, and the occasional late-night trip to Sweet Briar, Hollins, or Randolph-Macon Woman’s College. A few will remember the earthquake that shook Cushing our freshman year and the trees uprooted by the hurricane. The one thing that we all will remember is our classes maybe not what the class was about or how long that Rhetoric paper really was, but our professors will last in our memories for years to come, how he or she was always there to help when we didn’t understand something or just needed a little reassuring that we were heading in the right direction on an essay.

One of Hampden-Sydney’s mottos is “to educate good men and good citizens,” and I believe this to be true more at H-SC than anywhere else. We all learned not only what was on the chalk board, but many other lessons that will help us in our journeys. While growing and learning through our four years, we established friendships that will stick with us for the rest of our life. As we grow older many of us may lose touch, but we will still have the football games in the fall to relive our “glory years” when we return home to “the Hill.”

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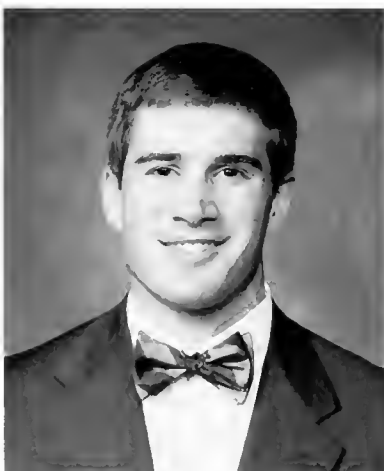
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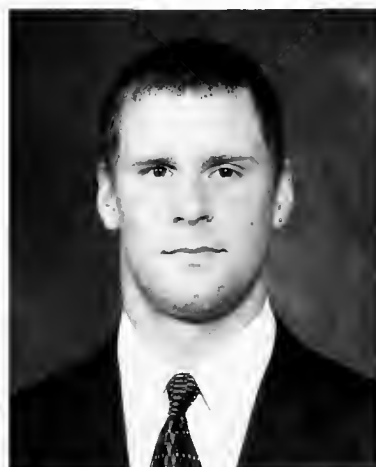
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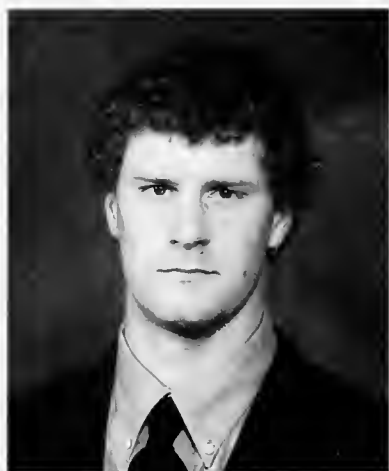
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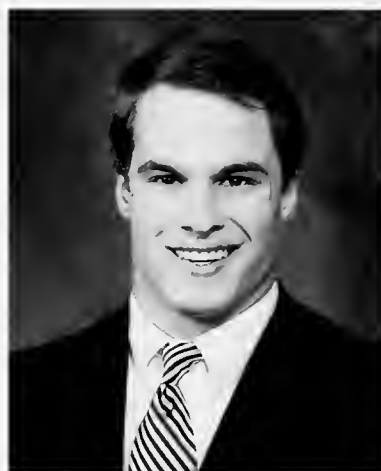
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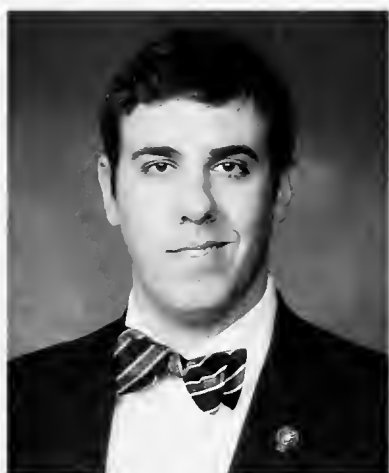
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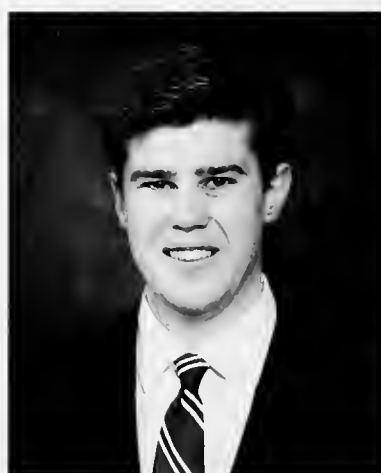
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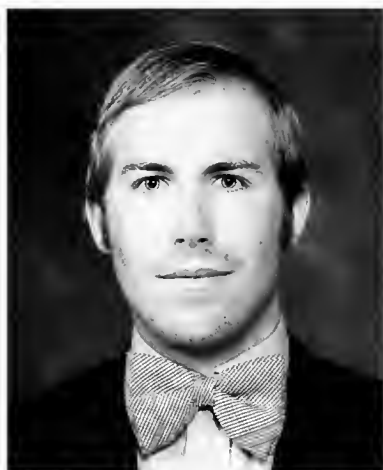
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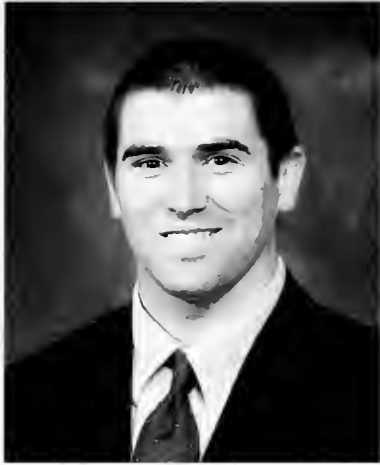
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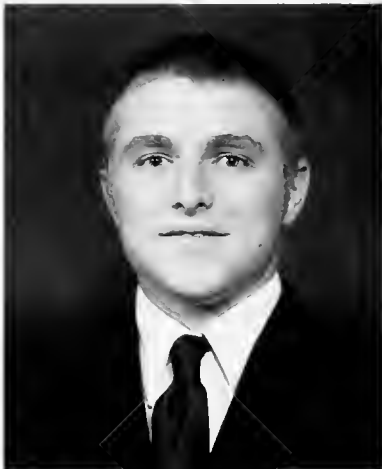
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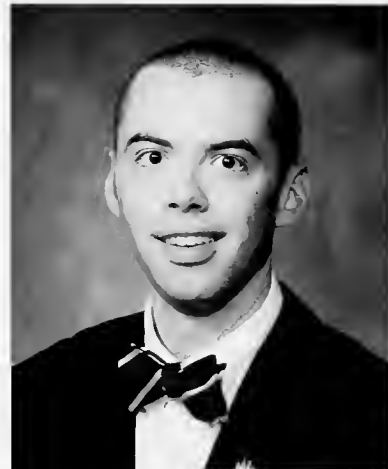
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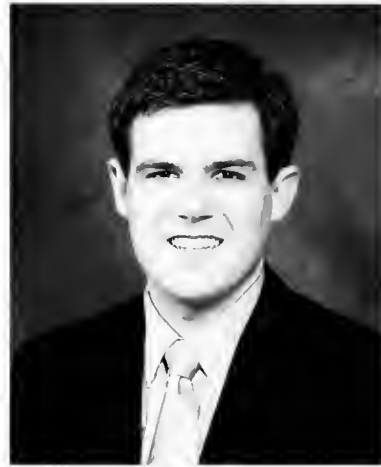
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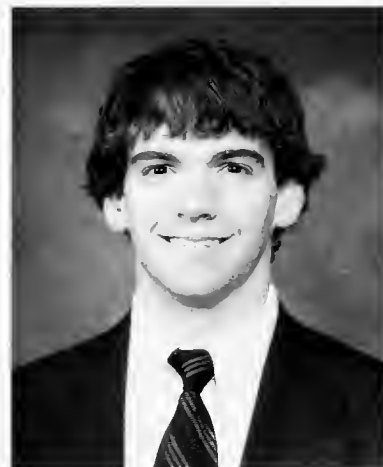
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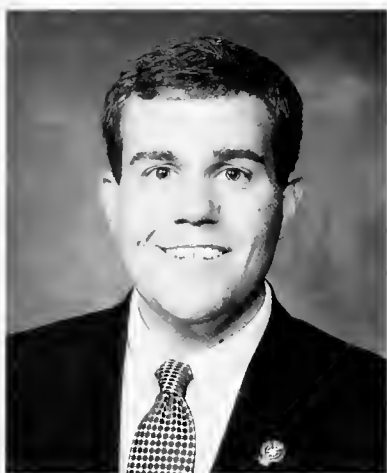
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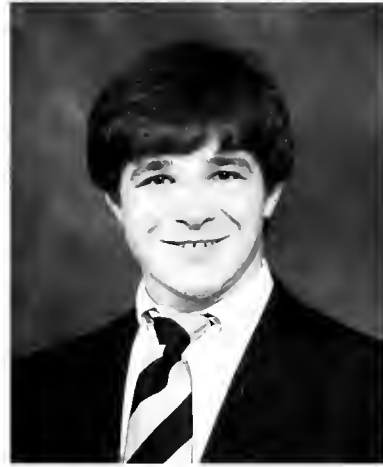
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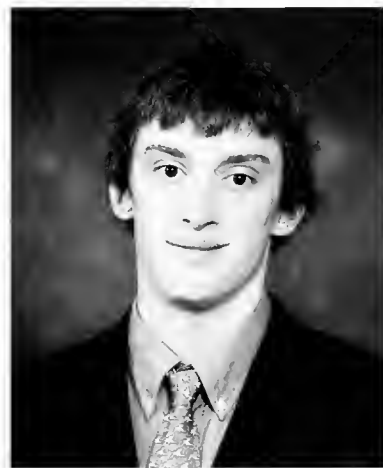
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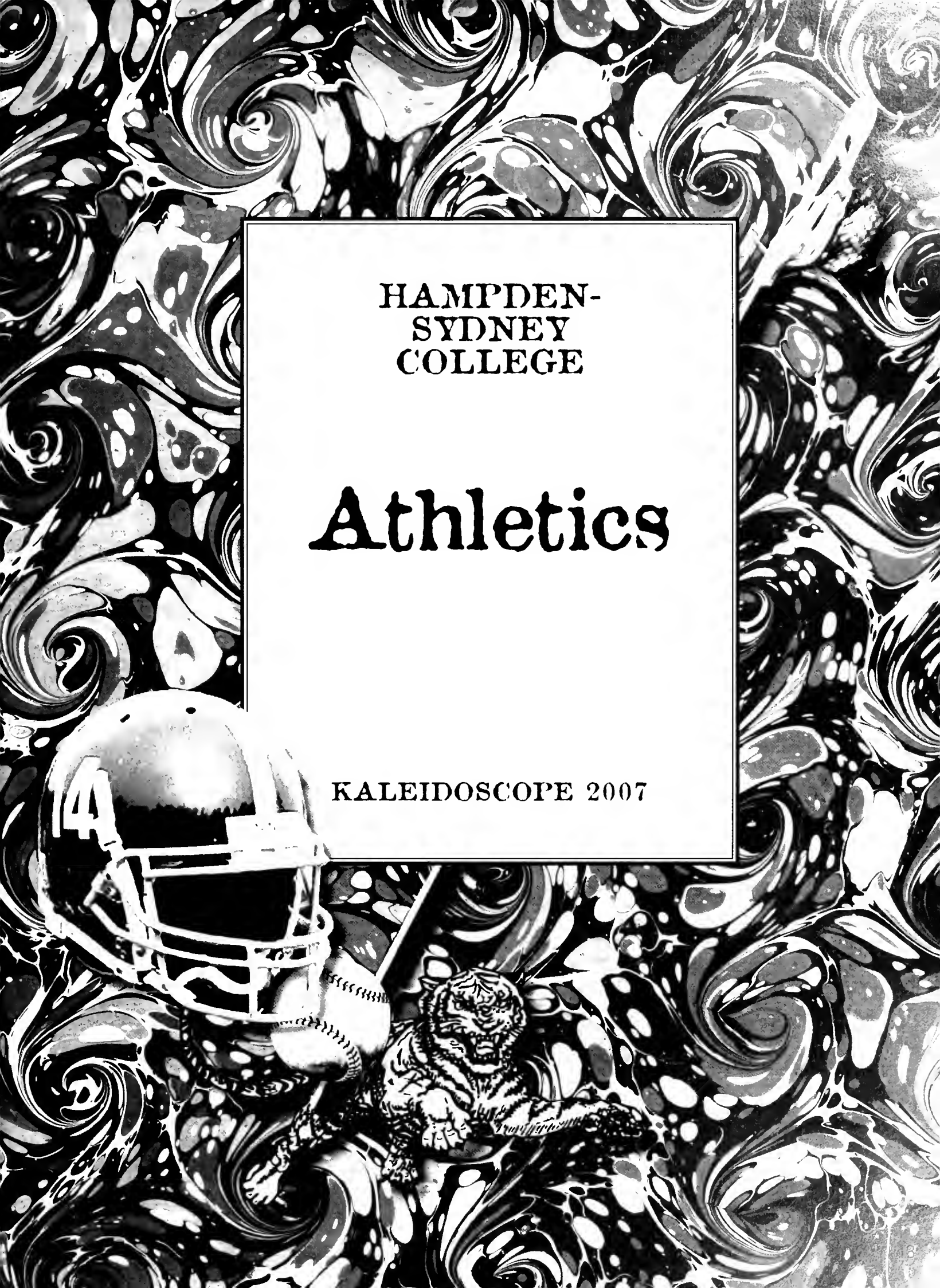


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Hampden-Sydney College has long been recognized as an institution founded and run on several basic core values: community, family, commitment, and accountability. The continuing mission of the College is to build “good men, good citizens” who epitomize the virtues of leadership and integrity. There are many aspects of the college experience, especially on The Hill, that work to ingrain these characteristics, and work hand in hand with Hampden-Sydney to ensure the longevity its core values. Perhaps one of the most effective means to this end is the experience of playing intercollegiate athletics on the Hampden-Sydney campus. Participation in intercollegiate athletics at Hampden-Sydney enhanced my college experience by facilitating my personal growth and development in the areas of leadership and integrity, while instilling the core values of the college in an enjoyable, exciting atmosphere.

Yes, winning is one major goal of any athletic team. However, the approach to winning can take many different forms, from the win-at-all-costs philosophy to the programs that stress personal development and success as common goals. At Hampden-Sydney, the values of the College are ingrained in the process which coaches, support staff, and team representatives follow to make their teams and young men as successful as possible. As a member of the basketball team for three years, I was taught to approach the game with respect, and to understand that playing the game I love was a privilege that should not be taken for granted. In addition, we were taught to understand that being a part of a collective group of men who are charged with the responsibility to attain a common goal was something special.

Our team was a small, close-knit community; as brothers in the same battle who spent nine months working together, we were a family; in order to achieve our goals, we had to be committed tirelessly, every day, to the task at hand and to each other; and when something went wrong, or we did not live up to our expectations, we were to be accountable for our actions and work to improve. The core values that serve as the foundation of Hampden-Sydney College were the same cornerstones that were of the utmost importance to the togetherness and success of our team. When utilized to their full potential, these core values were the basis for the great accomplishments we enjoyed, and the reason that I consider those times as some of the most fun and memorable moments of my life.

My Hampden-Sydney experience was enhanced by my two-year captainship of the team. While the College aims to build “good men, good citizens” who encompass the qualities of leadership and integrity, the captain of an athletic team must quickly embody those very same merits to be effective. I learned very quickly that in order to lead, you must act with integrity, lead by example, and live up to your own word before you can expect others to follow. I would like to believe that by being the captain of our team, and a member of the cohesive basketball family, I became the best man and citizen I could be, and that I will continue to use the valuable tools my athletic career provided me as I progress into the future.

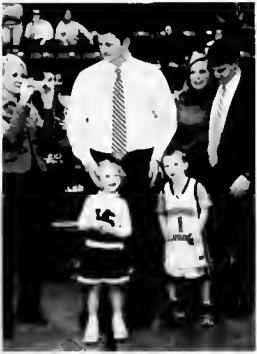
Matt Green '05



Another championship!

BRIAN HICKS, SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Basketball wins ODAC, travels to NCAA Tournament



Coach Bubba Smith (center), with his wife Cortney and their children, and assistant coach Chad Warner and his wife Karin celebrate after the ODAC tournament win.

The Hampden-Sydney College basketball Tigers advanced to the second round of the NCAA Division III national tournament before falling to Virginia Wesleyan College, the defending national champions. The Tigers advanced to the national tournament after surprising the field and capturing a tenth Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament crown with a blow-out victory over Roanoke College, 77-62. Senior Mike Edwards was named the ODAC tournament's Most Valuable Player, scoring 71 points over the course of three games, including a career-high 27-point performance against Roanoke.

The Tigers were 15-10 overall and 10-8 in the conference going into February's ODAC Tournament. The inconsistent season left the Tigers with the fifth seed and the opportunity to exceed expectations. Coming off a season ending rout of arch-rival Randolph-Macon College, the Tigers squeaked out a first-round tournament win over Emory & Henry College,

102-100, compliments of Edwards' three-point shot with just over 10 seconds remaining in the game. In the second round of the ODAC, Hampden-Sydney narrowly topped Virginia Wesleyan, 70-67, giving the Tigers their first victory over the Marlins this season and a genuine shot at earning the conference title. That title came February 25th when the Tigers handily defeated Roanoke. Hampden-Sydney dominated Roanoke the entire game, leading 42-14 at the half.

The ODAC tournament win gave the Tigers an automatic spot in the national Division III tournament where the first opponent was Hood College of Frederick, Maryland. Junior guard (and student-body president) Drew Prehmus, who scored seven of the Tigers' last nine points, drained a three-pointer with 1:22 to play, leading Hampden-Sydney past Hood, 68-65. The second round of the NCAA tournament was a dreaded rematch against the Virginia Wesleyan Marlins on their home court in Norfolk.

The Marlins, 25-4 overall, controlled the first half and took a

27-20 lead to the locker room at the break. When they returned to the court, the Tigers tied the game at 33 points apiece. However, the Marlins



INSET: Co-captains Mike Edwards (left) and Matt Green (right) led the Tigers' ODAC championship run.

AT RIGHT: Students were full of school spirit as the Tigers faced arch-rival Randolph-Macon





The team celebrates—depending on whose fingers you look at—its tenth ODAC championship, its fifth trip to the NCAA tournament, or its number-one status.

rallied and led by ten points with just over two minutes to play. The Tigers fought hard to cut into the Marlin lead, but it just was not enough as Virginia Wesleyan went on to a 61-51 win. Junior Tyler Murray and freshman Turner King led the Tigers with 10 points apiece, while Murray recorded his third double-double in five post-season games with 12 rebounds. Edwards added nine points, while his co-captain, senior Matt Green, scored eight points. Prehmus scored six points as the junior eclipsed the career 1,000-point mark.

Four members of the Hampden-Sydney basketball team earned all-conference accolades this season. Matt Green was named the 2006-2007 ODAC Men's Basketball Scholar-Athlete of the Year; the mathematical economics major has a 3.91 grade-point average and led the conference with 114 assists this season. Mike Edwards earned second team All-ODAC honors, averaging 13.9 points-per-game; he finished his career with 1,082 career points. Drew Prehmus and Turner King earned honorable mention All-ODAC honors.

With only two seniors graduating and an ODAC tournament win, the Tigers and Head Coach Bubba Smith will face high expectations next season.

The basketball team's previous ODAC championships came in 1989, 1992, 1995, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002, and 2004.

The Tigers advanced to the national tournament after surprising the field and capturing a tenth Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament crown.

Gridiron Wrapup

The Hampden-Sydney football team closed the 2006 season with an impressive victory over the Randolph-Macon Yellow Jackets, 46-21. In "The Game," senior Michael Brooks broke a Hampden-Sydney record with a 97-yard kick-off return for touchdown. With the victory,

the Tigers finished with a 4-6 overall record and were tied for second in the Old Dominion Athletic Conference with a 4-2 conference record.

Ten football Tigers were named to the all-conference squads, including four to the first-team. The first-team honorees were all seniors, including running back Charlie Omick, offensive lineman Paul Williams, offensive lineman Ben Niemaseck, and tight-end Dane Williams. Making the second-team were junior wide receiver Drew Smith, sophomore cornerback Jamie Edlow, senior defensive lineman Jordan Sprouse, and sophomore punter T.C. Stevens. Senior linebacker Jason Smith and sophomore running back Josh Simpson were honorable-mention selections.

Two Tigers were named to the Virginia Sports Information Directors all-state squads. Paul Williams was a first-team selection, while Dane Williams received second-team honors.

Williams became only the second Tiger to be



Senior Greg Smith, a 2006 ODAC All-Conference honoree, maneuvers through the Randolph-Macon defense.



selected to participate in the Aztec Bowl (Conrad Singh was selected in 2004), which is a contest between the Mexico All-Stars and the USA Division III All-Stars. Williams earned a starting position at guard and helped lead the United States to a decisive victory.

Junior wide receiver Drew Smith was selected to the ESPN, The Magazine-College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) Academic All-District team, which honors players who excel in the classroom and on the field.

Construction of the new Everett Stadium is underway (see page 13) and will be completed in time for the first home game, against the Johns Hopkins University on September 1.

Soccer players excel

The Hampden-Sydney soccer team finished a successful 2006 campaign with a 10-6-2 overall record (5-3-1 ODAC). The soccer Tigers earned the fifth seed in the Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament and faced fourth-seeded Virginia Wesleyan College; the Tigers were narrowly defeated by a score of 2-1. Despite the tough loss, Coach Josh

Laux was proud of the way his players performed.

Several Tigers received post-season honors, including five players being named to the ODAC all-conference squads. Senior Greg Smith was named to the first-team, while seniors Will Robbins, Kerry Burke, and freshman David Burley were named to the second-team. Junior Greg Danahy earned honorable-mention honors. The Virginia Sports Information Directors (VaSID) selected two tigers for the all-state team. Greg Smith and David Burley were selected to the VaSID all-state second-team.

One soccer Tiger was recognized for his abilities on the field and in the classroom. Greg Smith was honored as the 2006 ODAC Soccer Scholar Athlete of the Year. Smith also received all-region honors, D3kicks.com second-team and NSCAA third-team.

At this point, the Hampden-Sydney soccer program is focused on the 2007 season. Hampden-Sydney has already named the captains for the 2007 squad, including midfielder Greg Danahy, goalkeeper Ben Marchetti, and midfielder Michael Krewinghaus.



LAX pursues ODAC crown

The 2007 Tigers are hungry to earn an ODAC Championship, which would be the fifth ODAC Championship and ninth NCAA tournament appearance in program history. The Tigers return an experienced team of 31 veterans after the graduation of only three seniors. The Tiger offense returns seven of its ten leading scorers and its entire defense from the previous season, with the exception of one. The Tigers are returning eight seniors, including team captains Ryan Harrington and Michael Via as well as Thomas Jennings, Cameron Hellmuth, Scott Russell, Jarrott Patteson, William Shell, and Middleton Smith.

Hampden-Sydney was ranked second, behind reigning champion Roanoke College, in the ODAC preseason poll. Jennings and Colin Dunn were highlighted in particular for their contributions on the field. In 2006, Jennings scored 19 goals, including three hat tricks. On defense, Dunn forced seven turnovers and snatched up 41 loose balls.

The Tigers will host visitors on the new Hellmuth-Pritzlaff Field, an artificial turf field completed in the fall. The field lies directly between Rostan Field, the lacrosse practice facility, and the football practice fields.

The Old Dominion Athletic Conference will be held on May 1 and May 6 with sites and times to be determined. The first two rounds of the NCAA Tournament will be played at the home sites of the higher seeds, with the NCAA Championship game being held at M&T Bank Stadium in Baltimore, Maryland, as part of the combined NCAA Division I and II Championships played on Memorial Day Weekend.

Young sluggers fill Tiger roster

Hampden-Sydney's baseball team returns to the diamond in 2007 following another successful season. The Tigers finished the 2006 season one game out of the Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament championship game, after being narrowly defeated by Bridgewater College, 5-3. The Tigers finished the 2006 season with 23 victories, including a 13-5 ODAC record, which was good enough for a second seed in the conference tournament. While several key Tigers have left, a solid core returns to Hampden-Sydney to continue a winning tradition that began with the arrival of Head Coach Jeff Kinne.

Leading this group of young Tigers will be seniors Larry Greene and John Apperson. Fifteen newcomers will look to make an immediate impact for the Tigers as Hampden-Sydney lost 17 members of the 2006 squad.

In December 2006, former Hampden-Sydney pitcher John Schoenholtz signed a contract with the Evansville Otters of the Frontier League. The 6'6" right-hander will begin play with the Otters in May of 2007. Schoenholtz holds many career and single-season pitching records at Hampden-Sydney, including the career records for victories (24) and strikeouts (196). Schoenholtz ranks second in the Hampden-Sydney record books with 238.2 career innings-pitched.



Senior midfielder Thomas Jennings was a 2006 All-ODAC and All-State honoree.



Senior center fielder John Apperson is a Tiger team captain and one of the leading outfielders in the ODAC conference.



Second-stringer Ciejek proves his worth

BRYAN HICKS, ASSISTANT SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Hampden-Sydney's soccer team is off to its best start in recent history, and the Tigers are poised to compete for an ODAC title, thanks in large part to sophomore forward Ian Ciejek. A native of Richmond, Ciejek is no stranger to winning, as his high school team, the Mills Godwin Eagles, won a VHSL State Championship in 2003. Ciejek's attitude and desire have paid dividends for the Tigers so far in 2006, while he looks to keep the team pointed towards a championship.

Although Ciejek was selected as an All-District, All-Region, and All-State honoree, he was not recruited to play soccer by any other school. Tiger head coach Josh Laux had coached Ciejek on the Richmond Strikers club team and saw the potential Ciejek possessed. "Ian's grown quicker than I thought he would," said Laux. "He has put himself in the mix as one of our most effective players this season." Although Laux may have seen the potential, Ciejek was not ready to make an immediate impact right away. Playing behind talented seniors Bobby Hillmann and Grant Dickens, Ciejek saw no playing time and became frustrated. "It was tough going from the top to the bottom," commented Ciejek, "we had a bunch of great players, including Bobby and Grant. I love playing soccer, and I didn't want to give it up."

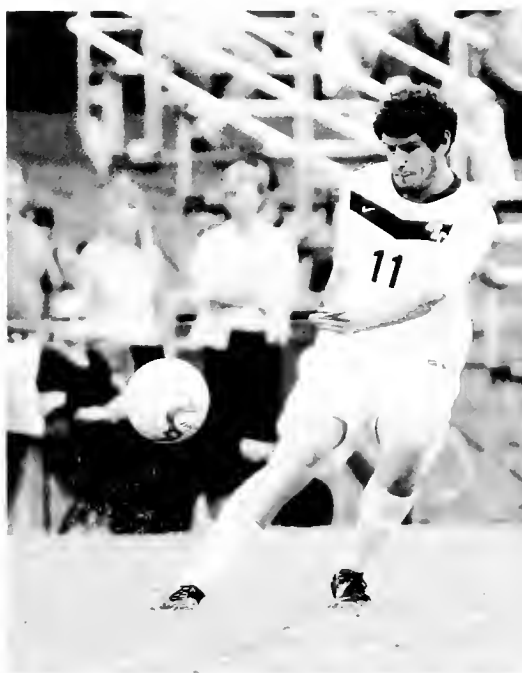
Two of Ciejek's longtime friends and teammates, sophomores Jason Butler and Tony Pitts, helped turn his disappointment into a source of motivation. "We have been friends since we were five-years-old," Ciejek explained. "Our families are friends with one another, and we do everything together. They were recruited by lots of other schools, but all three of us came to Hampden-Sydney together." Ciejek channeled his frustration and worked hard in the off-season to ensure that he was not on the bench in 2006. "My attitude was horrible; I have become more positive this year," said Ciejek. Ciejek's new attitude has improved his play and provided a spark for the Tiger soccer team that has led to some of the highest expectations in the program's history.

Although Ciejek may have wanted to stay off of the bench in 2006, that is exactly where he finds himself. He has come off the bench in each of the

Tigers' seven games while developing into one of the team's best all-around players. Ciejek is second on the team in goals and tied for second on the team in assists. He is also tied for fifth in the Old Dominion Athletic Conference in points. While these are great statistics, Ciejek seems to make the biggest plays when they matter the most; he is tied for first in the ODAC in game-winning goals, a distinction that he enjoys the most. "I want to be known as a team player," explained Ciejek, "and I want to do whatever I can to help the team and win games." Coach Laux realizes that Ciejek could complain about not starting for the Tigers. "Ian is deserving of a starting position," said Laux. "But he brings a different aspect to the game, an aspect that no other player on our roster possesses, coming off the bench."

This aspect could be the aggressive style of play that Ciejek brings to the pitch. It could be his determination. What is for certain is that Ciejek is a Hampden-Sydney crowd favorite, and he describes his style of play by saying, "I am not cocky. I am confident. I have a confident swagger."

While Ciejek may be the one receiving all the attention as one of the leading goal scorers on the Tiger soccer team, it is his commitment to the team that he focuses on the most. Ciejek's goal is to help lead the Tiger soccer team to its first-ever ODAC Championship. While the team may be young, much like Ciejek, they are confident. "We are young, but we demonstrate that our age doesn't really matter," Ciejek explained. "Many people have placed high expectations on us



Ian Ciejek '09 comes off the bench to give the Tigers new strength.



Quarterbacks Bobby Owens '10 and Craig Warnement '10.



and that has inspired us to work hard, but all these expectations are no different than the expectations that we place on ourselves."

The hard work and confidence have paid off. Coming off a year in which the Tigers were ranked as the 12th most improved team in the nation, Hampden-Sydney was picked to finish fourth in the ODAC preseason coaches' poll. Early in the 2006 season, the Tigers have been able to crack the NSCAA/adidas Southern Region Rankings, being selected as high as eighth. Head coach Josh Laux realizes the potential of his young soccer team, but he also realizes their need to continue to work hard. "It's exciting that we have so much time with these young guys because there is so much talent and potential on our roster," said Laux. "However, they still need to come to practice ready to work every day in order for us to get better and achieve the goals that we have set for ourselves."

Ian Ciejek brings a flair and sense of excitement to Miller Field, and the sky is the limit for him and for the young Tiger soccer team.

Young Guns

DONNIE TURLINGTON, SPORTS
INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Bobby Owens and Craig Warnement bring fresh life to the role of Hampden-Sydney quarterback, each bringing a different approach, but with the same goal:

leading Hampden-Sydney to an ODAC Championship. The two inherit the coveted spot of starting quarterback, a role that has been redefined over the last three years by the ODAC's all-time leading passer, J.D. Ricca '06, who passed for over 8,600 yards and tossed 91 touchdowns, all while leading the team to eight victories a year, though never to an ODAC title.

Bobby Owens grew up in rural southside Virginia in Halifax County, just 45 minutes from Hampden-Sydney. His dad, Robert D. "Frosty" Owens '74, was a legendary Tiger football player in his own right; he was a key member of the all-time winningest class (1974) in Tiger football history, which captured 34 wins in four years and played in back-to-back Knute Rockne Bowls (1970 and 1971). Despite the relative proximity of Hampden-Sydney to his hometown, Bobby only attended one game in Death Valley while growing up. It was not until the success he experienced in his senior year in high school that he actually figured on joining his dad's alma mater. During that campaign, Owens led the Halifax football program through a state tournament run for the first time in nearly 20 years, while being selected to play in the Virginia High School Coaches Association East-West All-Star game, in which he earned offensive MVP accolades. After narrowing his choices to Bridgewater and Hampden-Sydney, Owens picked Hampden-Sydney after his official recruiting visit. "The coaching staff was really great to me during



the whole recruiting process, but when I came for my visit I got to meet a lot of the players and really liked all the guys," said Owens. "Everyone made me feel at home and I knew this is where I wanted to play."

Craig Warnement, meanwhile, joined the Tiger football team from Charlotte, North Carolina, where he led Charlotte Catholic to back-to-back state championships and spanned his entire high school career without a loss. More impressive, as the team made the jump from 2A to 3A classification between his junior and senior years, he was still able to lead the team to a title. Warnement's draw to Hampden-Sydney was the opportunity to play in Marty Favret's offense. "Three things that sold me on Hampden-Sydney were being able to play right away, getting to learn open offense, which was so different from what I played in high school, and the campus," said Warnement. "Once I stepped on the campus I knew this is where I wanted to go to school and play football."

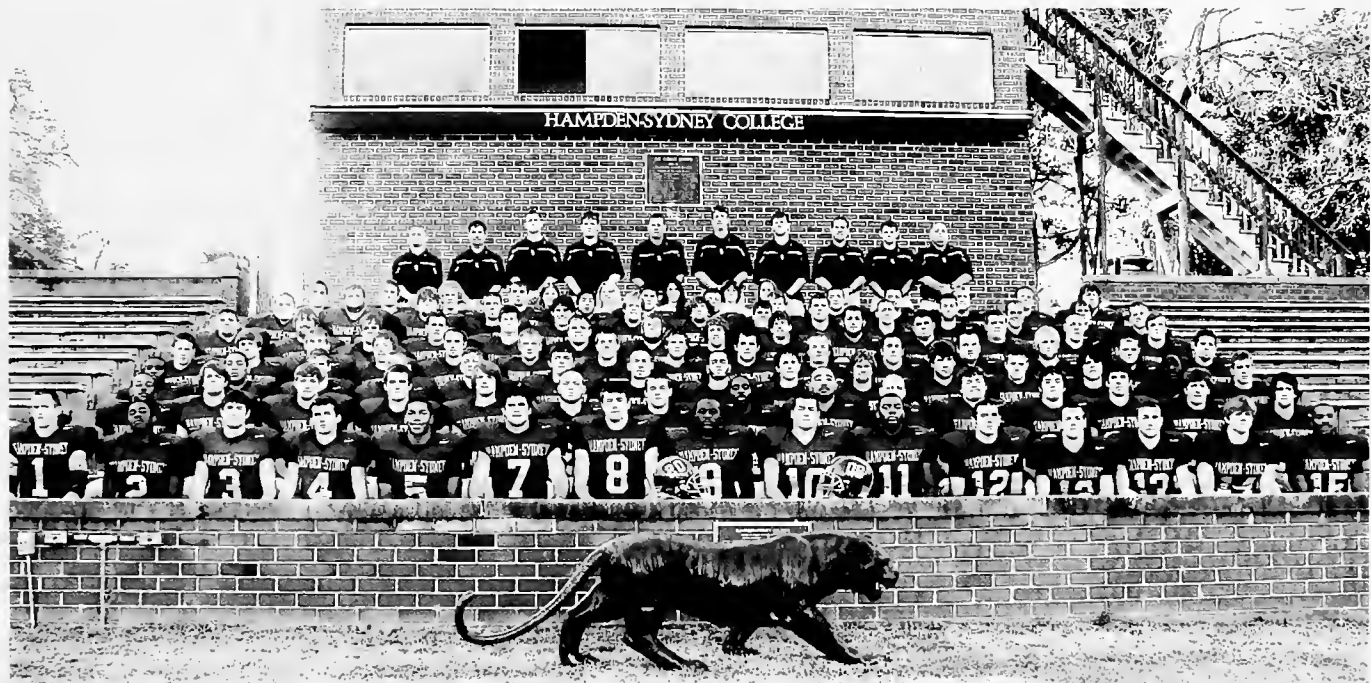
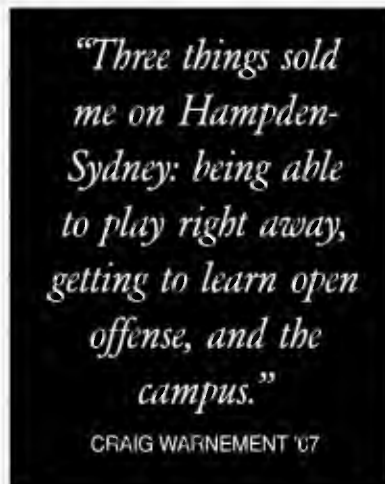
Owens and Warnement both came into the season with high expectations. The two met for the first time on Hampden-Sydney's campus in July when they worked the Tiger football camp. "Coach Favret told me about [Craig] early in the recruiting process and he told me he wanted to figure out a way to use both of us in the game," said Owens. Owens, who

ran a sub-4.5-second 40-yard dash in testing early in preseason camp, has speed as his greatest asset, while Warnement is more out of a pocket passer, much like Ricca. As preseason camp began, the battle for the position ensued, each looking to use his strengths to move the Tiger offense. Each player soon recognized what the other could accomplish. "Bobby likes to

get out of the pocket and be a Michael Vick type quarterback," said Warnement. "I would rather sit in the pocket behind the protection of our offensive line and deliver the football to our skill guys. [Bobby] can do it too; he's just more comfortable when he's on the move."

Despite circumstances that easily could have escalated into a full-blown quarterback controversy, the two players seem content in doing whatever it takes to help the team win. Through the

first weeks of the 2006 season, Owens, saddled with an injury midway through preseason camp, mostly watched from the sidelines as Warnement tossed six touchdowns and passed for nearly 500 yards in two games. Since he has been able to play, Owens has racked up 119 yards on the ground on just 12 carries (9.9 yards-per-game), while he scored the Tigers' first touchdown of the year with a 35-yard scramble against Sewanee. Both players, in fact, did what they do best and used their assets to their advantage.



Hampden-Sydney Tigers football team 2007.



Sports awards announced

BRYAN HICKS '06, SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Moss named ODAC Tennis Player and Rookie of the Year

Freshman William Moss was named the Old Dominion Athletic Conference Tennis Player of the Year and Rookie of the Year. Clinching Player of the Year honors is a tremendous accomplishment for a freshman. Moss earned the honors after going 12-1 overall and 8-0 in the conference in #1 singles. Moss and freshman Richie Holzapfel earned second team All-ODAC honors in doubles, while junior Andrew McLeod earned honorable mention honors in singles.

Moss and Holzapfel finished the season with a 9-5 overall record and 5-3 mark in the conference in #1 doubles. McLeod earned honorable mention honors after posting an 8-6 mark overall and 6-3 record in the ODAC in singles competition.

McLeod was also named to the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District second team.

Many improvements have been made to the tennis team's facilities in recent months, including a new surface for the tennis courts, a patio for players and spectators, and new steps from the expanded parking lot. These improvements were made possible through the generosity of many friends and alumni, including John E. Mansfield, Jr. '78, John M. Miller '56, W.

Kirby Arnall '87, and John P. Maragon '52.

The Thompson Cup Open set for October 15

The XXIX Thompson Cup Open will be held on Friday, October 15th, at 1 pm on the Varsity Tennis Courts at Hampden-Sydney.

In 1978, in honor of legendary professor of Classics and one-time College tennis coach Dr. Graves H. Thompson '27, the Class of 1952 established the Thompson Challenge Cup to be presented to the winner of the annual team tennis match between the 25th reunion classes. In 2006, the event became The Thompson Cup Open, a round-robin tournament open to all. The new format accommodates Seniors, Mens, Ladies, and Mixed Doubles.

There is no charge. To register contact Tonya Overton in the Alumni Office at (434) 223-6776 or toverton@hsc.edu or use the reply card attached to the back cover of this issue of The Record.

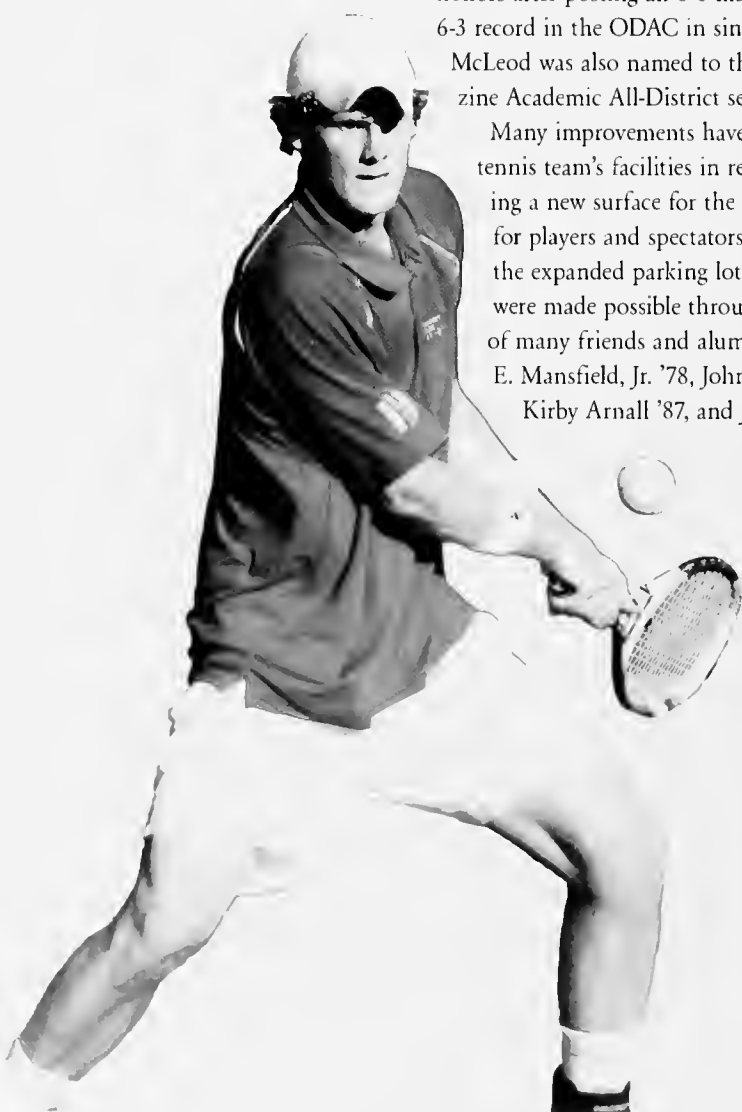
Greg Smith named ODAC Scholar-Athlete of the Year

The Old Dominion Athletic Conference Board of Directors recognized senior Greg Smith with the 2007 Harry G. "Doc" Jopson Scholar-Athlete Award. The Award is given each May to a member-college senior and conference male sport participant who exhibits the highest athletic, academic, and extracurricular achievements.

Smith maintained a 3.92 grade-point average while majoring in mathematical economics. He was named the 2006 ODAC Men's Soccer Scholar-Athlete of the Year, and was a consistent member of both the ODAC All-Academic Team and the Hampden-Sydney Dean's List. He was the recipient of the James Madison and Presidential scholarships. Smith was inducted into Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership honorary society, and Phi Beta Kappa, the national academic honorary society.

Smith was a two-time team captain (2005 and 2006) for the Tigers' soccer team, and was awarded

Freshman William Moss was named the Old Dominion Athletic Conference Tennis Player of the Year and Rookie of the Year.





the 2006 Players Choice Most Valuable Player award. He was named to the All-ODAC First Team in 2006 as a midfielder, leading the league in assists with nine. Smith was named to the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) All-Region Third Team, and was selected to the D3kicks.com All-Region Second Team. The Virginia Sports Information Directors (VASID) tabbed him as Second Team All-State. He graduated from Hampden-Sydney having started 48 of the 65 games he played while scoring 13 goals and assisting on 12 others.

Outside of the classroom and off the field, Smith completed Hampden-Sydney's "Society of '91" leadership training program, hosted a radio program on WWHS, and managed the Tigerfund, the College's student-run equity investment fund. Also, he was the assistant art director for *The Kaleidoscope*, and was a member of the College Ambassador Committee.

"Greg Smith is one of our most outstanding student-athletes," said Hampden-Sydney athletic director Joe Bush. "He is a stellar student, effective leader, and one of the very best soccer players to ever attend the College."




Senior midfielder and team captain Greg Smith won the 2007 ODAC Harry G. "Doc" Jopson Scholar-Athlete Award for the conference's highest athletic, academic, and extracurricular achievements.



Hampden-Sydney soccer team 2007.





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Men in Groups

I. SOCIAL
FRATERNITIES

KALEIDOSCOPE 2007





Social Fraternities

It is difficult for the member of one social fraternity at Hampden-Sydney to speak for all fraternity men. The experience from house to house is different and those differences allow the fraternity system to attract and to enrich the collegiate experience of a diversity of Hampden-Sydney men. Brotherhood, however, is the backbone of each of these great institutions. To choose to become a member of a social fraternity is to decide to enroll in a club with lifetime membership. Besides the social life, a fraternity is place where brothers can go and connect with a group of friends, a second family, whom you can trust and count on for anything.

Like most freshman faced with the prospect of fraternity membership, I did not know what I was getting myself into. However, from the moment I began my journey towards membership in KA, I knew it was the right decision. I will always remember the back deck crammed with KAs and their families and friends; the catered BBQs; the Motown band playing popular songs as we danced with our dates on a beautiful Homecoming Saturday afternoon; the smell of grit and grime that filled the house every time you walked in; and the sound of a packed crowd chanting the anticipated arrival of "Appetite for Destruction." Being a part of the Kappa Alpha Order gave me the opportunity to meet some of the greatest guys in the world and to share experiences with them that have left me lasting memories.

The realization that you are part of a tight-knit community where friendships will last a lifetime is part of the experience of every Hampden-Sydney man, for the College is an extended brotherhood. However, the special bonds of brotherhood that characterize membership in a social fraternity are priceless.

Every Hampden-Sydney man is heir to the rich history and traditions of the College, but for its brothers a social fraternity adds an additional source of pride through each fraternity's unique history, traditions, and rituals.

In KA, I was part of a brotherhood focused squarely on what matters in the world - personal integrity, family, and civic responsibility. I know that the brothers of every house felt that they too were part of organizations that supported and enhanced the values that Hampden-Sydney imparts to all her sons.

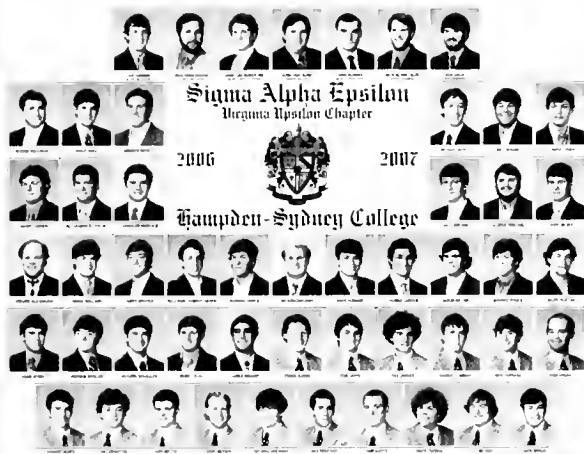
The fraternity experience for me, my brothers, and the brothers of all the houses at Hampden-Sydney was the opportunity of a lifetime. Our lives were enriched, and we hope that we each, in some way, contributed to the strength and well-being of our individual houses so that the opportunity for fraternity membership will always be there for Hampden-Sydney men.

Scott McAdams '07



SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON

Founded in 1856
VIRGINIA UPSILON CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1860
Rechartered in 1971



Joe Farmer
President

Larry Weber
Treasurer

Richard Spangler
Vice President

Alex Floyd
Social Chair

Class of 2008

J. Burke
J. Farmer
A. Floyd
C. Harris

M. Jordon
G. Paschal
L. Weber

Class of 2009

E. Alexander
D. Ballard
S. Daves
R. Daws
L. Dzwankowski
B. Gallis
T. Landen

J. Melvin
E. Poole
G. Poston
R. Spangler
D. Teden
J. Wishon

Advisor: Dr. Victor N. Cabas, Jr.



CHI PHI

Founded in 1824
EPSILON CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1867



Joe Lewinski
President

Andrew Wolfe
Treasurer

George Elliott
Rush Co-Chairman

David Harp
Vice-President

Timothy Lenahan
Secretary

Charles Bull
Rush Co-Chairman

Warren Beth
Social Chairman

Class of 2008

W. Beth
D. Harp
J.M. Jenkins
W. Kincaid
J. Lewinski

M. Ransone
N. Savage
J. Schniper
H. Thomas
A. Wolfe

Class of 2009

F. T. G. Crittenden II
G. Eliot
S. Guill
W. Haden

J. Moore
J. Reynoso
I. Stanley
G. White

Advisor: Dr. James Janowski



PHI GAMMA DELTA

Founded in 1848
DELTA DEUTERON CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1870
Rechartered in 1967

Frater in Facultate
Dr. J. Michael Berman

Frater in Urbe
Meade Whitaker



W.T.H. Tetzian
President

T. W. Jacobs
Treasurer

D.C. Morcom II
Corresponding Secretary

M. C. Bean
Recording Secretary

P. A. Rowe
Historian
Class of 2008

W. B. Brockman
R.B. Hargrove IV
T. W. Jacobs
F.E. Lankford III
E. Mann II

D.C. Morcom II
H. Stephanyon
S.B. Taylor
W.T.H. Tetzian
R.D. Yake

Class of 2009

M. C. Bean
R. A. Bright
Z. A. Campbell
M. T. Castrovinci
B. J. Clapp
B. C. Harris
P. Y. McConnell
W. P. Mohrmann

B. A. Niemeier III
K. A. Norbo
M. W. M. Patterson
P. A. Rowe
J. T. Thraves
T. M. Wilson
C. E. Winkels

Class of 2010

J.L. Newton
W. L. Graves
J. I. Stiles
J. D. Kennedy
C. C. Lacy

J. M. Grew
T. M. Ribaric
R. H. Hopcroft
R. P. R. Kerr

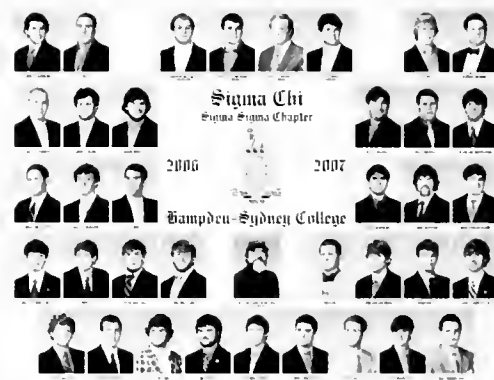
Advisor: Dr. J. Michael Berman



SIGMA CHI

Founded in 1855
SIGMA SIGMA CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1872
Rechartered at Hampden-Sydney
in 1931 and 1984

Frater in Urbe
Dr. William E. Thompson



C. H. Timberlake IV
Consul

J. S. Vowell
Pro-Consul

D. L. Carpenter
Quaestor

Class of 2008

D. Hammond
D. Kelley
R. Knight
L. Knottingham
A. Lawrence

J. Morgan
C. Sewell
M. Stubblefield
J.C. Wallace
E. Whitlow

Class of 2009

J. S. Vowell

Class of 2010

S. Barnhart
D. Carpenter
M. Hunt
T. Kalmbach
D. Mutispaugh

C. Peebles III
F. Preroff
A. Smith
M. Squire
C. Timberlake

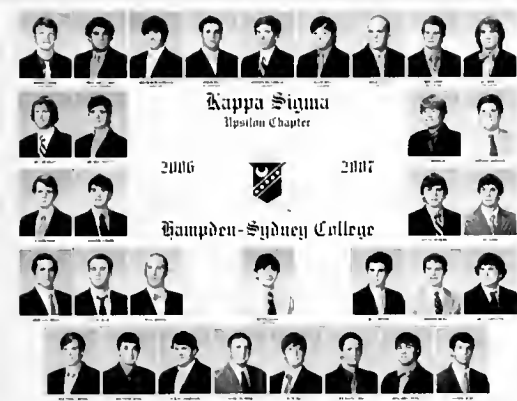
Advisor: The Rev. Dr. W. E. Thompson



KAPPA SIGMA

Founded in 1869
UPSILON CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1883

Frater in Facultate
John L. Brinkley



Graham McCormick
President

Jay Rawles
Vice-President

Benjamin Cronly
Treasurer

Madison Woodward
Secretary

Class of 2008

W. Behl
E. Harrell

W. Moore
J. Rawles

Class of 2009

W. Carpenter
B. Cherry
M. Conrad
M. Davis
K. Ellenberger
D. Kilbride

G. McCormick
J. Napolitano
W. Root
A. West
M. Woodward

Class of 2010

B. Cronly
T. Hovis

Advisor: Mr. John L. Brinkley



PI KAPPA ALPHA

Founded in 1868
IOTA CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1885



Myles Kois
President

Joshua Roller
Secretary

Matt Moore
Vice-President

Charles Lockhart
Treasurer

Class of 2008

J. Bohnaker
J. Campbell
S. Clark
W. Colgate
W. Gresham
C. Hedelt
J. Hollingsworth
M. Inhof
M. Kois

F. Massie
M. McCormack
M. Moore
A. Morgan
J. T. Palmore
W. Pannill
J. Roller
J. Stokes
J. Wiseman

Class of 2009

B. Greenfield
J. McLamb

R. Sweeny
D. Yonge

Class of 2010

S. Clair
R. Griffen
J. Odanga

C. Pleasants
C. Read
C. Swink

Advisor: Christopher J. Coyne

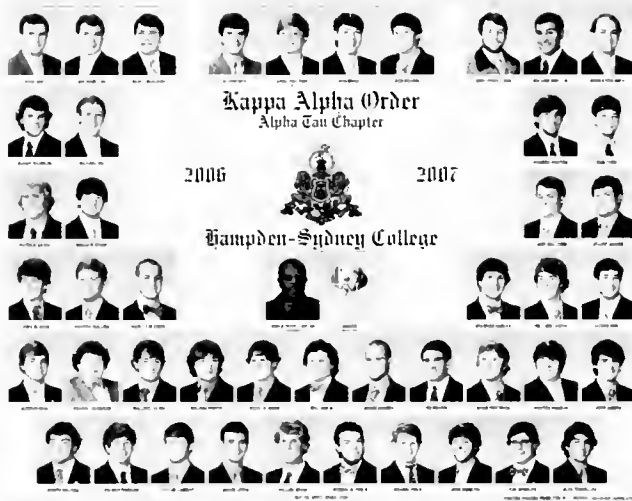


KAPPA ALPHA

Founded in 1865
ALPHA TAU CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1899

Fratres in Urbe

Jason M. Ferguson
Wesley S. Lawson
C. William Sublett, Jr.



T. Magee
Number I

C. Zalesiak
Number II

B. Boykin
Number III

Class of 2008

E. Benton
B. Boykin
E. Brewer
S. Corey
P. Gates

W. Grant
C. Holcomb
B. Jones
S. Kegan
C. Zalesiak

Class of 2009

C. Beaver
P. Bolling
C. Eberly
W. Hollerith
J. Knott

T. Magee
M. Nusbaum
S. Payne
W. Smith

Class of 2010

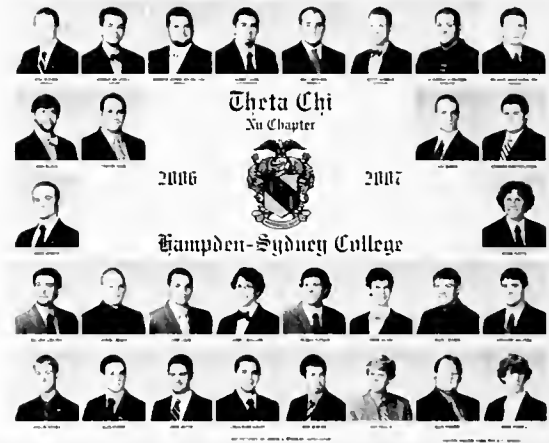
W. Francis
J. Garriss
J. Kastenbaum
M. Lambert
J. Lewis

W. Moss
T. Price
J. Simmons
T. Spencer



THETA CHI

Founded in 1856
NU CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1913
Rechartered in 1999



Eric Roeske
President

Joshua Hatchell
Vice-President

Matthew Newton
Treasurer

Andrew Dalton
Secretary

Ed Bartholomew
Marshal

Class of 2008

J. Hatchell
S. Gear

M. Newton

Class of 2009

J. Baker
R. Bakita-Walter
E. Bartholomew
S. Benner
D. Bowen
A. J. Dalton
A. Curtis
B. Joeckel

C. Linger
J. Louis
C. McClure
T. Putnam
E. Roeske
A. Tatom
R. Turner
G. Williams

Class of 2010

C. Dickey
A. Divers
C. Finton
C. Gurchinoff

S. Jenkins
R. Paul
M. Powell

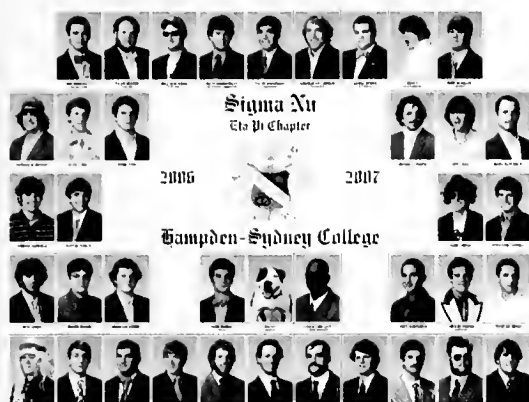


SIGMA NU

Founded in 1869

ETA PI CHAPTER

Founded in May 1962 as Delta Epsilon Fraternity,
became Delta Epsilon Colony of the Sigma Nu
Fraternity in May 1963, and became a Chapter of
Sigma Nu in 1965
Recolonized in 1998



T. S. Anderson
Commander

B. R. Melhorn
Lt. Commander

A. W. Patterson
Treasurer

D. S. Myers
Recorder

Class of 2008

T.S. Anderson
C.M. Ariail
A.H. Bell
S.H. Cassell
W.P. Gutshall

P.T. Keefer
V.D. Mascitelli
B.R. Melhorn
M.A. McDonald
D.S. Myers

Class of 2009

W. R. Blackman
J. R. Evans
E. B. Ferrell
E. M. Haden
E. A. Koroneos
B. T. Marchetti

T. M. Neumann
J. B. Pendleton
D. L. Reid
S. L. Tinsley
P. H. Williams

Class of 2010

N. C. Ainsley
P. H. Bryant
S. B. Conover
J. D. Fay

G. C. Hamlin
J. M. Montgomery
C. B. N. Salmon



BETA THETA PI

Founded in 1839

ZETA CHAPTER

Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1850

Re-established in 1987

Zeta Chapter Rechartered in 1990

Rechartered in 2005

Frater in Facultate

James C. Kidd

S. Byrd
President

M. Tassone
Vice President

P. Miskovic
Treasurer

T. Lawson
Pledge Educator

A. Trikalinos
Secretary

M. Saunders
Recruitment Chair

R. Shrader
Risk Manager

A. Syprzak
Scholarship Chair

Class of 2008

B.P. Breeland
B.B. Cox
T. A. Egeland
E.T. Lawson
P.G. Miskovic
C.M. Saunders

R. D. Shrader
A. J. Syprzak
M.A. Tassone
A. Trikalinos
C.M. Yuhaz

Class of 2009

G. C. Whitaker

A. K. Jennings



ALPHA CHI SIGMA

Founded in 1902
BETA CHI CHAPTER
Established at Hampden-Sydney in 1971

Fratres in Facultate

C. W. Anderson, K. M. Dunn, P. H. Mueller, W. W. Porterfield, H. J. Sipe, Jr.

Fratres in Urbe

R. N. Beck, Ann Mayo

Alpha Chi Sigma is a professional fraternity for chemistry and the chemically related sciences. Its purposes are threefold: to provide social functions for its members, to foster academic motivation and excellence, and to promote a program of professional activities for the College and the community.

J. S. Parris
Master Alchemist
& *House Manager*

S. Platt
Treasurer

C. Saunders
Master of Ceremonies

J. Boswell
Vice-Master Alchemist

B. Kinney
Recorder

A. Huffman
Historian

Class of 2008

M. Antolini
J. B. Baldwin
B. T. Barnhill
J. Booker
J. Boswell

D. M. Cameron
M. B. Carver
T. S. Fellows
S. M. Florin
T. D. Kaase

A. McLeod
A. B. Smith
L. C. Wadesworth

Class of 2009

B. Acharya
C. K. Arnatt
N. Bandy
J. Bowman
M. D. Huff

W. A. Huffman
J. L. Johnson
J. S. Parris
R. C. Parrish
S. P. Platt

S. K. Sharma
T. Stevens
J. Young

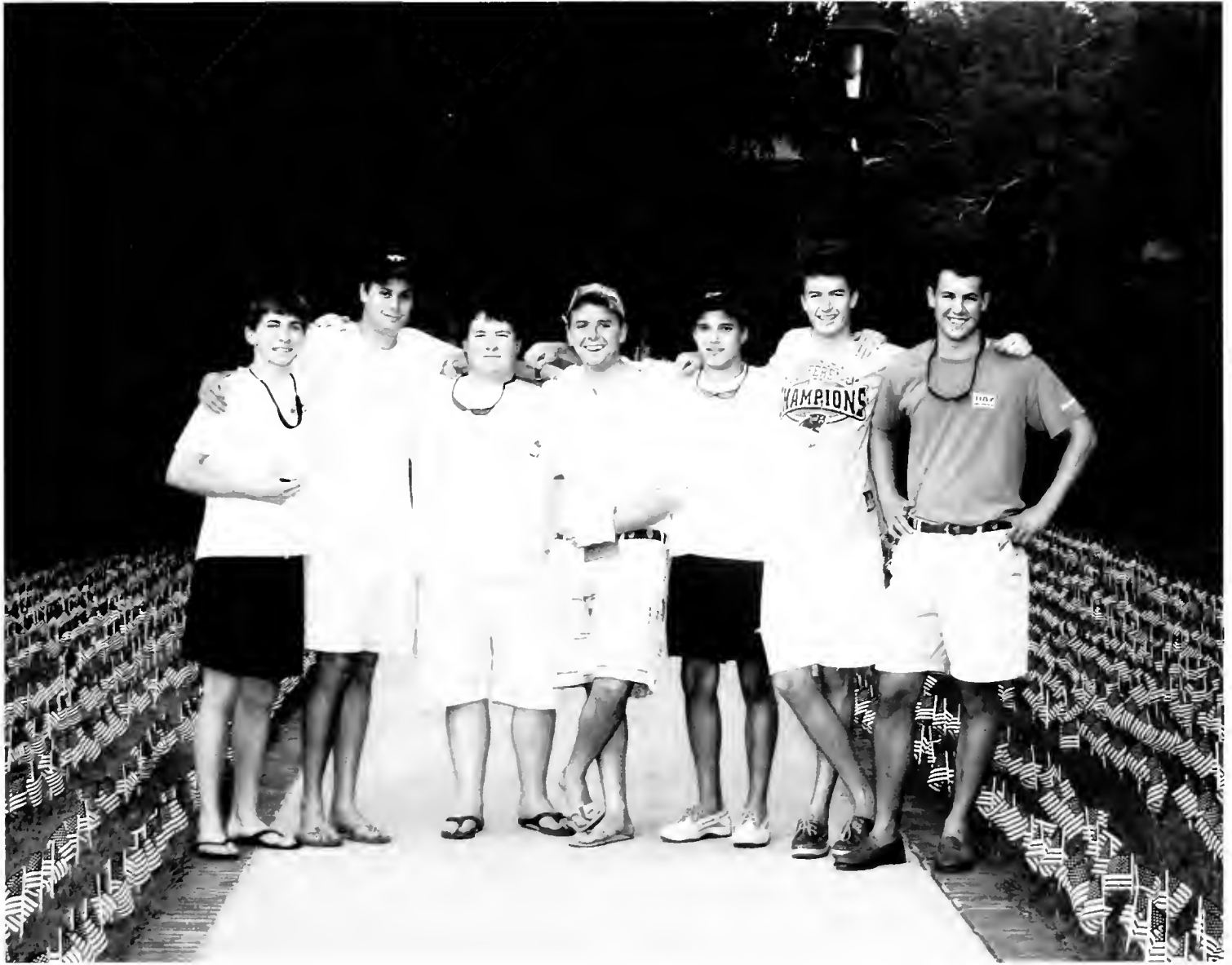
Class of 2010

A. Breedlove
B. Brown
C. Collie
T. Huband

B. Kinney
A. Regner
A. Reid
R. Saunders

S. Swartz
H. Warren
W. Zackowski

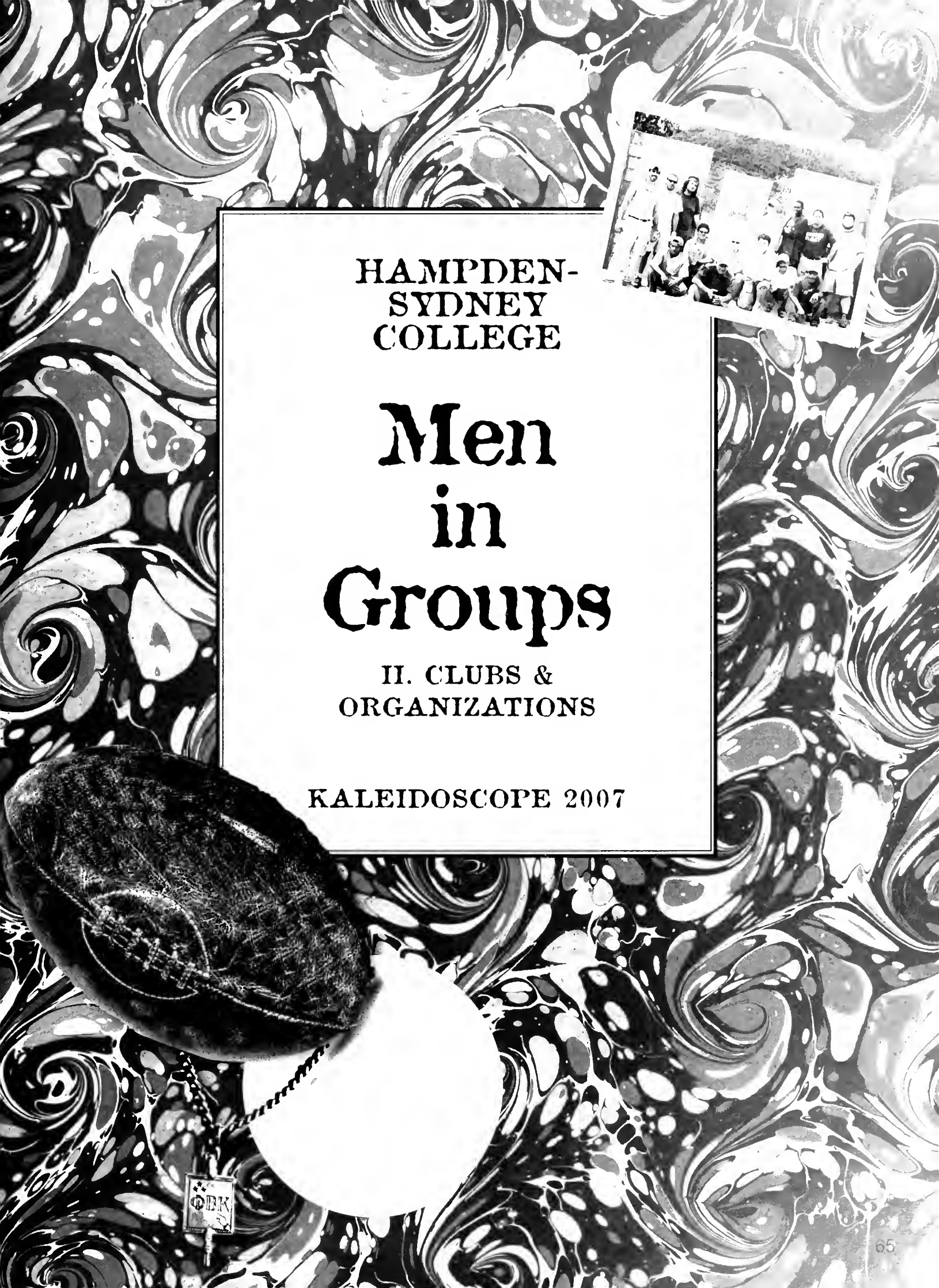
Advisors: Dr. W. W. Porterfield, Dr. H. J. Sipe



Fraternities Mark Anniversary of 9-11

Pictured from left to right: Graham McCormick '09, Camp Holcomb '08, Michael Nusbaum '09, Gray Pendleton '07, Jay Hamilton '07, Chris Beaver '10, Charles Eberly '09.





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Men in Groups

II. CLUBS &
ORGANIZATIONS

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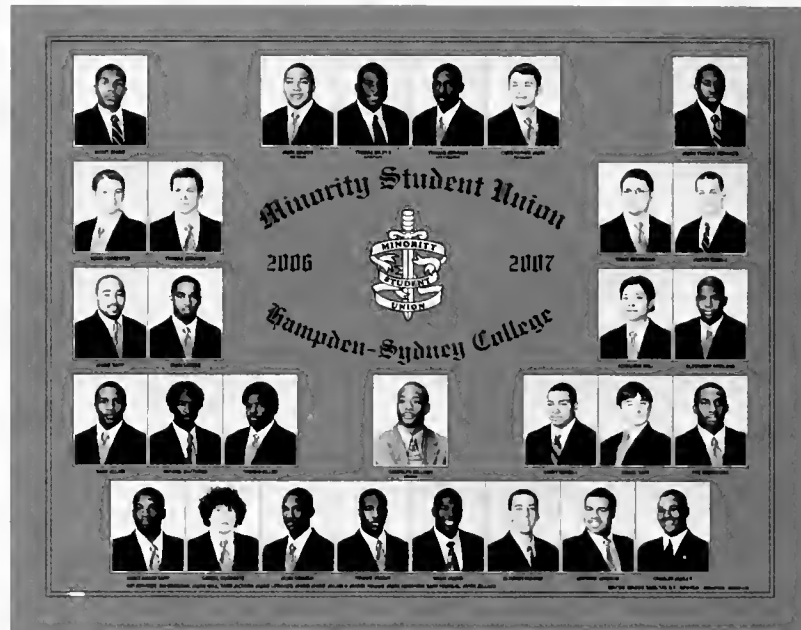


Clubs & Organizations

Minority Student Union (MSU)

The Minority Student Union is in its fifth year of existence. The MSU was established to educate as well as make the Hampden-Sydney community aware of different cultures and backgrounds that exist on campus. Moreover, this organization provides its members with an environment to express views and concerns that are unique to minorities. Although we are officially a club, our organization more closely resembles a fraternity. This organization is open to any and every person on campus who would either like to promote diversity on campus or be a part of a close-knit family.

President..... Mark R. Henson
Vice President..... Olander R. J. Fleming
Secretary..... Thomas D. Wiley
Treasurer..... Clem O. Venable
Advisor..... Dean Randy Williams
Historian..... James Aaron Sapp



The International Club

The International Club was founded in an attempt to enrich and cultivate a sense of cultural diversity within the Hampden-Sydney Community. Its main aim is to foster good relationships through cultural awareness, and in doing so, to aid in preparing Hampden-Sydney men for the global community in which we live. The club is open to anyone and does not discriminate by race, nationality, gender, or sexual orientation. Our activities, for example our Food & Film Festivals, are always eagerly anticipated, appreciated, and enjoyed. Upon graduating, you will join the rest of the world; here at H-SC, the International Club brings the world to you.

President..... Achhunna Mali
Vice-President..... Ben Brown
Secretary..... Miguel Mogollon
Treasurer..... Bikash Acharya
Advisor..... Dr. Jana M. DeJong



Pictured from left to right: Front Row: Andrew McLeod '08, Achhunna Mali '08, Kyaw Zeyar Myint '07, Manoj Bista '07, Tan Le '10, Chetan Rupakheti '09. Second Row: Ivo Gyrovski '09, Sobale Vu '07, Bikash Acharya '09, Michael James Rutkowski '07.



Phi Beta Kappa

The Eta of Virginia chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Society annually elects a limited number of juniors and seniors to membership. In electing these members in course, the Chapter seeks to recognize academic attainment, moral character, responsible citizenship, and a broad intellectual curiosity. No more than 10% of a prospective graduating class can be elected. Consideration is given on an individual basis to those students who, having completed at least four semesters at Hampden-Sydney, and having failed no courses, meet the following criteria:

I. A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.800 on work at Hampden-Sydney for those in their sixth semester; or, for those in their eighth semester, a minimum GPA of 3.300 on work at Hampden-Sydney.

II. A college record which, as determined by the Chapter, demonstrates that the student has

- an interest in the literary heritage of the English-speaking peoples;
- a conceptual grasp of mathematical structures and derivations;
- an understanding of the religious and philosophical roots of Western culture;
- familiarity with the conceptual structure and heuristic methods of modern science;
- a perception of the historical development of the government and culture of the United States;
- a substantive grasp of the historical development of the institutions of Western culture;
- a commitment to the liberal ideal of education as revealed by a prudently balanced and selected program of courses.

PresidentDr. Jennifer Vitale
Secretary-TreasurerDr. David S. Pelland



Pictured from left to right seated: Michael James Rutkowski '07, Matthew Peter Jordan '08, Jonathan Tyler Schaaf '07, Brettney DaSean Smith '07, Aubrey Hampton Brown III '07. Left to right standing: Manoj Bista '07, Everett Martin Gardner '07, Zachary Robert Dussault '07, Stephen Leo English '07, Bret Ewing Newton '07, John Michael Robbins '07.



Omicron Delta Kappa

Omicron Delta Kappa is a national leadership honor society for college men and women. It was founded in 1914 at Washington & Lee University to recognize and encourage superior scholarship and leadership by men and women of exemplary character. Membership in ODK is a mark of highest distinction and honor.

The Lambda Circle was founded at Hampden-Sydney on April 12, 1924, and is the eleventh oldest of the society's more than 200 circles. To be selected as a member of the Lambda Circle, a junior or senior must be in the top 35% of his class and must have actively participated in three and demonstrated constructive leadership in two of the five areas of college life considered by the society: scholarship; athletics; social service, religious activities, and campus government; journalism, speech, and the mass media; and creative and performing arts.

Men selected for membership are tapped in the fall and spring.

The members of Omicron Delta Kappa seek to use their personal influence as campus leaders to better campus life and to encourage high standards in all activities.

In addition to regular selection of members, the Circle awards each fall to a sophomore a \$1,500 scholarship in recognition of constructive leadership and academic achievement during his freshman year, and each spring, the ODK Citizenship Award to a senior who by his actions and example has contributed significantly to the betterment of the College community.

President.....James Andrew Prehmus
Vice-President.....Andrew S. McLeod
Faculty Advisor.....Thomas H. Shomo
Faculty Secretary.....Prof. Leon M. Cohen



ODK Induction in Spring 2007

*Left to Right: Front row: Alex H. Mayberry '08, Lynchburg; C. Scott Dalton '07, Farmville.
Second Row: Joseph L. Farmer '08, Millers Tavern; B. Scott McGuire '07, Richmond; Andrew S. McLeod '08, Jamaica;
T. Carter Smith '07, Chesterfield. Third Row: Andrew J. Prehmus '08, Norcross, GA; Zachary R. Dussault '07, Charlotte, NC;
Joshua W. Jayne '07, Mays Landing, NJ; Jeremy D. Forrest '08, Newport News.*



ODK Induction Fall 2006

*Front, L to R: Everett Gardner, Matt Moore, Jason Bart.
Mid, L to R: Wesley Julian, Hillman Terzian, Michael Via.
Last, L to R: Ryan Ash, Drew Baker.*



Eta Sigma Phi

Pictured from left to right: Josh Bohannon '09, Allen Horton '10, Ben Shuga '09.

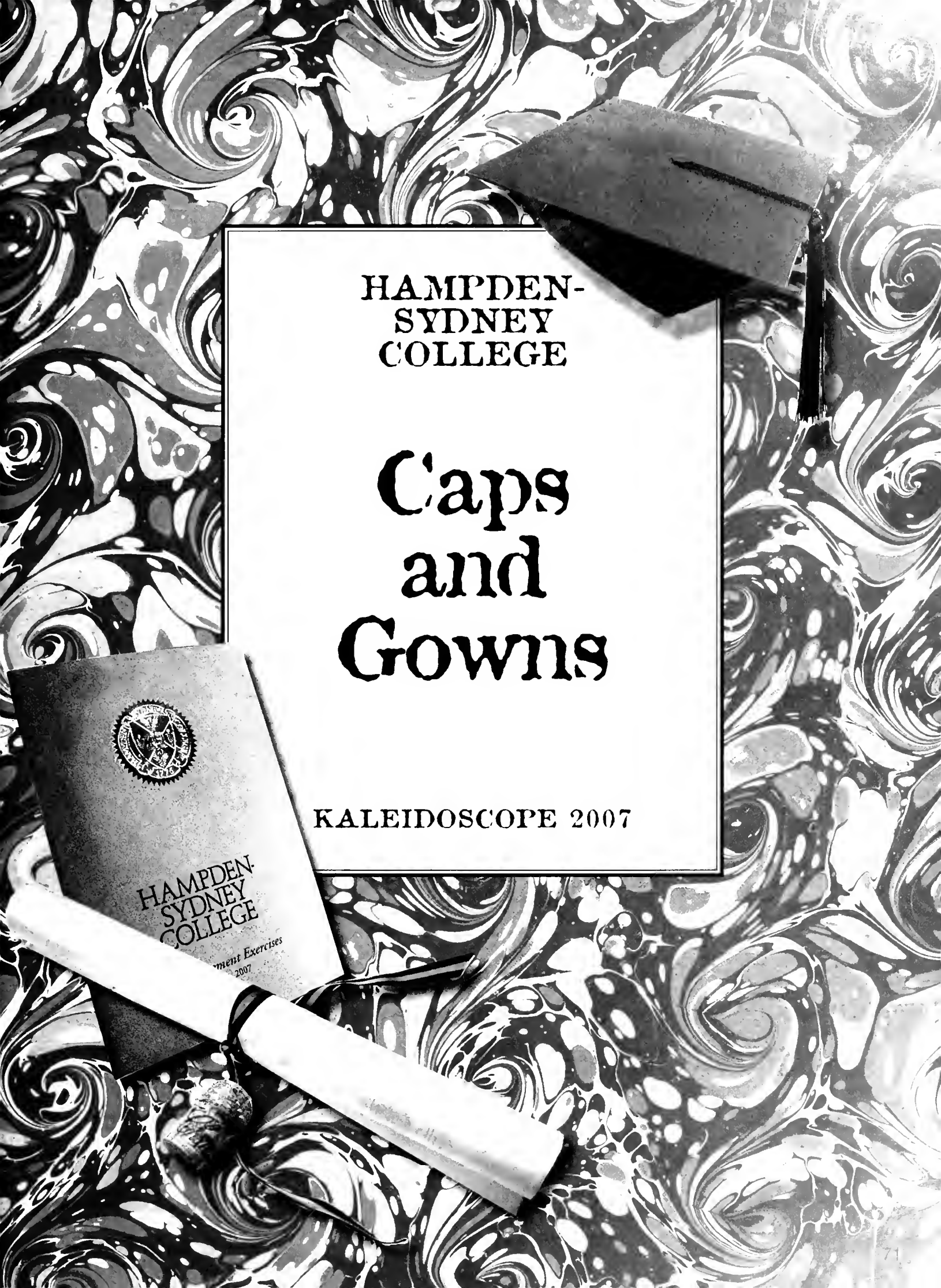


Society of '91

The office of the Dean of Students created a special leadership program in 1997 for students who hold or seek to pursue positions of authority with campus organizations. The resulting Society of '91 program was so named in recognition of the accomplishments of the members of the Class of 1791, who included, among others, a President of the United States, a Supreme Court justice, and a general.

Students enrolled in the Public Service Certificate Program are encouraged to compete for admission to the one-year Society of '91 program. The curriculum is designed to equip students with the skills and habits that will enable them to assume and carry out difficult organizational responsibilities in an effective and ethically sound fashion. Students who participate in the program are reminded of the importance of civic engagement that is rooted in an appreciation for the dignity of all persons.



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Caps and Gowns

KALEIDOSCOPE 2007



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ment Exercises
2007





Commencement 2007

DEGREES AWARDED
May 13, 2007

DOCTOR OF LAWS
Samuel Anthony Alito, Jr.

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS
Raymond Blanton Bottom, Jr. '51
John Luster Brinkley '59



Left: First Honor Graduate and Valedictorian Justin Michael Azar '07 delivering the speech.







Left: Supreme Court Justice Samuel Alito gave the Commencement Address.

Bottom: Kieran Joseph Kobell, a graduating senior (at right), stating the oath with his father, Colonel Keith Kobell (center).



Awards Presented at Commencement

Right: The Cabell Award recipient Daniel G. Mossler.

Below: The Gammon Cup recipient Matthew J. Green '07.



Right: The Anna Carrington Harrison Award recipient W. Matthew Wickley '07.

Bottom: The Samuel S. Jones Phi Beta Kappa Award recipient Nathan H. Schnetzler '07.





Left: The Algernon Sydney Sullivan Medallion recipient and Valedictorian Justin Michael Azar '07

Below: The Robert Thurston Hubbard IV Award recipient C. Wayne Tucker.



The Thomas Edward Cawley Award recipient Katherine J. Weese.



The Algernon Sydney Sullivan Medallion recipient Raleigh H. Cooper '07.



The Algernon Sydney Sullivan Medallion recipient Ronald L. Hennemann.





THE VALEDICTORY ADDRESS
Hampden-Sydney College
May 13, 2007

Justin Michael Azar '07
First Honor Graduate

WELL, HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! MOMS, I KNOW THERE WERE TIMES WHEN it seemed that this day would just never come, but I also know that there were times when you hoped that it never would. And having arrived at that day, here we are. Consider us your gifts and be proud that we didn't wrap ourselves in newspaper and Scotch tape.

I, of course, want to thank our families, friends, honored guests, faculty, and staff for being here today to support us. But also, I want to thank all the graduating seniors who pulled themselves out of bed this morning to be here to celebrate our accomplishments.

Guys, over the past few days, I imagine most of us have been looking back on our time here at Hampden-Sydney, recalling good memories and funny stories.

Certainly, I think that most of us share a few common memories from freshmen year:

- Meeting John Axsom for the first time. Need I say more?
- Finding the most direct route to Sweet Briar.
- Or even our freshmen orientation retreat to Blackstone and all the stories that go along with that experience.

But, I imagine the times that we will remember the best will be those that we shared with our closest friends here. And though I would love to be able to recount a story from each of us, I know that 1) I don't have the time and 2) some of the stories are far too explicit to be told in public.

But as we, with our friends, retell these unforgettable stories, I hope that we will also consider the mark that we've left on the College.

TAC: you all revived your organization this year, something I'm sure you all are proud of.

Theatre guys: you all spent countless hours in Johns or Winston putting together plays and shows to entertain this community.

College Democrats: talk about fighting an uphill battle.

Baseball, Basketball, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Soccer, Tennis: you all gave your best, played your best, throughout every season, for yourselves, for your teammates, and for Hampden-Sydney.

Honors Scholars, Departmental Honors Students, and Fellowship Students: you all contributed to maintaining the high level of academic excellence that is so closely associated with this institution.

Honor Court and Student Government: you guys worked day in and day out not only to maintain but to improve the integrity of this campus.

Fire Department and Rescue Squad: I know few guys who respond so quickly to the sound of a beep, but you all were there to keep us safe and help us when we were in need.

InterVarsity and Young Life: you all helped students grow in their faith through fellowship in Christ.

Thomas, Kieran, and all the RAs: we made great improvements in the Residence Life program this year, and we set the bar higher for the coming years.

I know I haven't been able to mention each of us and every group we've been involved with, but each of us knows that we've left our own mark, whether big or small, on this place.

And, finally, I have no great revelation to offer you. I'm not going to tell you to go out and change the world, but I am going to ask you this: pass through these gates, as educated men of integrity and honor, and wherever you go, whatever you do, do just what you did here at Hampden-Sydney—leave your mark.

Class of 2007: thank you and congratulations.

In addition to being the First Honor Graduate of the Class of 2007, at Commencement Justin Azar (pictured center left) received the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award for character and service to the College. A Patrick Henry Scholar who double-majored in Biology and Spanish and a past winner of the Sophomore Academic Excellence Award, the President's Award for Overall Academic Excellence, and the Samuel S. Jones Phi Beta Kappa Award, Mr. Azar also was elected to Chi Beta Phi and Omicron Delta Epsilon scientific honorary societies in addition to Phi Beta Kappa. He has earned a cumulative grade point average of 3.975.



Commencement 2007

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May 13, 2007

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Carlisle High School

John Pembroke Apperson III
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Amherst, Virginia
Heritage High School

Ryan Helms Ash
History
Magna cum laude
Richmond, Virginia
Trinity Episcopal School

Andrew Daniel Baker
History
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Mills E. Godwin High School

Harry Webster Baldwin IV
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Alexandria, Virginia
Douglas S. Freeman High School

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Political Science, Minors in Environmental Studies
and in Public Service
Cum laude
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Martinsville High School

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Norfolk Academy

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Fredericksburg Christian School

Joshua David Black
Psychology
Louisa, Virginia
Woodberry Forest School

Zachary James Bland
History
Midlothian, Virginia
Blessed Sacrament-Huguenot

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Highland Park High School

Andrew Steven Brendle
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Honors in Political Science
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Forsyth Country Day School

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Political Science
Summa cum laude
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Lee-Davis High School

David Stephen Brown, Jr.
Economics
Marietta, Georgia
Lovett School

Timothy Traugott Brown, Jr.
History
Honors in History
Greenbush, Virginia
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Kerry Lee Burke II
Political Science, History
Cum laude
Chester, Virginia
Thomas Dale High School

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Political Science
Portsmouth, Virginia
Nansemond-Suffolk Academy

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Covington, Virginia
Covington High School

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Philosophy and Religion
Bexley, Ohio
Columbus Academy

Raleigh Harrison Cooper
Political Science
Richmond, Virginia
James River High School

Robert Nathaniel Corwin
Psychology
Stafford, Virginia
Colonial Forge High School

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Waverly, Virginia
Tidewater Academy

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Tidewater Academy

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Hendersonville, Tennessee
Hendersonville High School

Christopher Scott Dalton
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Fine Arts-Visual Arts
Cum laude
Farmville, Virginia
Prince Edward County High School

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Political Science
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Salem High School

Anthony Christopher Denale
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Chesapeake Beach, Maryland
Patuxent High School

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Richmond, Virginia
St. Christopher's School

Wesley Rollings Duke
Economics
Chester, Virginia
Thomas Dale High School

Zachary Robert Dussault
Political Science, History
Magna cum laude, Honors in Political Science
Charlotte, North Carolina
Myers Park High School



- Charles Clifford Edahl, Jr.
Religion, History
Charlotte, North Carolina
Providence High School
- Joseph Weathers Eddins
Economics
Zebulon, North Carolina
East Wake High School
- James Michael Edwards
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Richmond, Virginia
The Steward School
- Eftimios Efremidis
Psychology
Front Royal, Virginia
Warren County High School
- Neal Thomas Eike
History
Suffolk, Virginia
Nansemond-Suffolk Academy
- William John Fedora III
History
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Episcopal High School
- Benjamin Kyle Ferguson
Economics and Commerce, History
Simpsonville, South Carolina
Hillcrest High School
- Evan Perry Fisher
History, English
Birmingham, Alabama
Altamont School
- Kevin Lance Forrester
Economics
Cum laude
Wytheville, Virginia
George Wythe High School
- Timothy Kivett Franklin, Jr.
Political Science
Harkers Island, North Carolina
Wayne Country Day School
- Michael Andrew Franks
Economics and Commerce
Williamsburg, Virginia
Jamestown High School
- Everett Martin Gardner
Philosophy, Political Science
Summa cum laude
Senior Fellow
Cross-Disciplinary Honors in
Philosophy and Political Science
Clemmons, North Carolina
West Forsyth High School
- Ross McAllister Garrison
Philosophy
Harrisonburg, Virginia
Harrisonburg High School
- Peter Nathaniel Gilman
Classics
Cum laude
Cullowhee, North Carolina
Smoky Mountain High School
- Matthew Jared Green
Mathematical Economics
Summa cum laude
Richmond, Virginia
Thomas Dale High School
- Lawrence Douglass Greene
History
Alexandria, Virginia
West Potomac High School
- Charles Michael Gundlach
Economics and Commerce
Cum laude
Richmond, Virginia
Mills E. Godwin High School
- John Andrew Hamilton II
Political Science
Wilson, North Carolina
Greenfield School
- Evan Walker Harrell
Economics and Commerce
Norfolk, Virginia
Norview High School
- Ryan Michael Harrington
Political Science
Dallas, Texas
Warren T. White High School
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James River High School
- Jon William Heinemann
Economics and Commerce
Moneta, Virginia
Cave Spring High School
- Jon Cameron Hellmuth
Economics and Commerce
Alexandria, Virginia
St. Stephens & St. Agnes School
- Kevin Patrice Regis Hennerez
History
Cum laude
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Glen Burnie High School
- Brian Paul Hill
Economics
Richmond, Virginia
Trinity Episcopal School
- Justin Edward Hill
Greek and Latin, Classics
Cum laude
Amelia, Virginia
Clover Hill High School
- Kevin Michael Hoffer
Political Science
In absentia
Yorktown, Virginia
Menchville High School
- William Riley Hogan
Economics
Atlanta, Georgia
Westminster Schools
- Charles Jefferson Berkeley Horne
Political Science, Economics
Emporia, Virginia
Brunswick Academy
- Christopher Thomas Horner II
Greek and Latin, Economics and Commerce
Magna cum laude
Bristol, Virginia
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- Zachariah Hampton
Howerton IV
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Greensboro, North Carolina
Greensboro Middle College
- Thomas West Hubbard
History
Magna cum laude
Roanoke, Virginia
Patrick Henry High School
- Patrick James Hubbard
History, Minor in
Environmental Studies
Mineral, Virginia
Queen Anne's County High School
- John Spencer Hunter
Economics and Commerce
Roanoke, Virginia
Patrick Henry High School
- Joshua William Jayne
Economics and Commerce, Spanish
Cum laude
Mays Landing, New Jersey
Hun School of Princeton
- Thomas Holden Jennings
History
Murfreesboro, Tennessee
Webb School
- Henry Weldon Jones III
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Cardinal Gibbons High School
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Moon Area High School
- Michael Smith Kelly, Jr.
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Gonzaga College High School
- Craig Richard Kevorkian
Classics
Norfolk, Virginia
Norfolk Collegiate School
- Ryan Christopher Kirby
English
Towson, Maryland
Towson Catholic High School
- Colin Charles Klein
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Hampton Roads Academy



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Manoj Bista Physics, Mathematical Economics Summa cum laude Bagmati, Nepal Budhanilkantha School	Herbert Valentine Kelly III Applied Mathematics Newport News, Virginia Peninsula Catholic High School	Kevin Joseph Thompson Chemistry Salter Path, North Carolina Saint Elizabeth High School
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John Brinkley...

"I don't have an agenda."

G. Clay Whittaker '09

*Professor John Luster Brinkley '59 has served Hampden-Sydney College since 1967, when he returned as a faculty member of the Classics Department. In his forty years here he has won such accolades as the Algenon Sydney Sullivan Medallion in 1981, the Hubbard Award, the Crowley Award, and has published *On This Hill: A Narrative of Hampden-Sydney College* as the college historian. As he is retiring this year, I asked for a few minutes to hear him reflect, and clear up some of the rumors and legends once and for all.*



Tiger: What was your favorite part of being a student here?

Brinkley: Some of the professors that I had and knew.

Tiger: What made you come back to Hampden-Sydney to teach?

Brinkley: It seemed like the natural thing to do. Everything sort of fitted together. One of the most compelling things was that I relished the chance to be able to come back and teach with some of the same faculty. But it was just the natural thing to do.

Tiger: What has been your favorite class to teach?

Brinkley: I don't teach anything I don't enjoy teaching. If I had to say a subject that would be the favorite it would be beginning Greek. The good students make so much progress—it's a thrilling thing to see guys go from nothing to something substantial. There's a higher learning trajectory in those sorts of things.

Tiger: Once and for all, were you involved in the McIlwaine fire?

Brinkley: I had no involvement. As I have said how many times, Hampden-Sydney guys can be worse than any ladies' bridge club when it comes to gossip. They exaggerate so wildly it's just impossible.

Tiger: Some people say you wrote your dissertation in Sanskrit...

Brinkley: [Rolls eyes, laughs] It couldn't be true. There are so many things wrong with that dumb story. I didn't do a research degree at Oxford, there are plenty of people around that read Sanskrit, and with a doctoral degree the research is reviewed at every step of the way.

Tiger: Students tend to find you and your classes pretty intimidating. The story is that a lot of guys tend to drop them...

Brinkley: Guys don't take them in the first place. It shows gross immaturity to pick classes based on idle gossip. I don't know why I'd be intimidating. Expecting a lot of your students is a way of showing them a compliment. I've been greatly disappointed that I have not had higher enrollment. The reasons are phony, wrong, and ill-informed, not to say dumb.

Tiger: People say that you have never given an 'A'. Some even say...

Brinkley: That is utterly false, to the point that it is slanderous. Last semester alone I gave several. There have been classes where no one has received an 'A' grade, but they are mostly Rhetoric 101 courses. A student who can get an 'A' in Rhetoric 101 probably shouldn't be in Rhetoric 101. Though I have given an 'A'. And this rumor about the 4.0—we didn't even have that grading system when I graduated! Check the registrar's office: there have been a lot. In 1978 there was even a three-way tie for valedictorian between three guys with a 4.0 GPA. It's silly—and slanderous—to suggest that I would be the last student to have a 4.0 and be bound and determined that no one else ever would. To deliberately grade students down for some ulterior purpose would be grossly unprofessional. Guys get what they earn.

Tiger: Why retire this year?

Brinkley: It makes sense. It will be an even forty years of teaching here, I'll be seventy—things come together there. I don't want to overplay my luck. I would hate to get sick, throw things into

turmoil. I haven't missed a day of class for sickness in thirty-eight years. I have a hernia, and I have arthritis—it's just prudent to do it now.

Tiger: How was life on the Fraternity Circle?

Brinkley: It has had its trying moments, but not many.

Tiger: How do you like the music?

Brinkley: Let's not get into that. [Laughs.] What I find interesting is that the variety of music here includes music that goes back decades. There are the perennial hits—there are things you've heard for forty years or more.

Tiger: Whom do you want to give the bonfire speech in your place?

Brinkley: I don't know that that tradition will continue. It's not a real bonfire anymore, and the tradition has been altered. Bonfires of the 1920's were meant to welcome teams back, not as a sendoff. We used to have more speechifying, and that has gone by the board too.

Tiger: Where are you going to move when you've retired?

Brinkley: I'm moving to Richmond, to a retirement community called Westminster Canterbury. I'll be close enough to come back for some things and be around guys that I know.

Tiger: What do you plan to do? Is there a book in planning?

Brinkley: Not at the moment. I don't have an agenda.



Campus Invasion

Not Instigated By the College Administration

C. Corey Van Vlymen

After last week's arrests, rumors abound about the circumstances leading up to the arrests, the motivations of the law enforcement agencies, and the involvement of the College's administration with the investigation. Chatter around the 'Moans and in every academic building could be heard all last week, and the remnants of those conversations still linger. Online, there are facebook groups which have been formed in protest of the College's purported stance on the issue, and there have been groups formed in reaction to those, to act as a forum of support for the administration.

It seems that most of the conversations have the same basic questions in common. Those questions include: What prompted this event? What was the administration's involvement? Were there agents implanted in the community enrolled as students? Why were the students suspended before being found guilty? Through conversations with College officials, the Tiger hopes to answer these questions and thus to dispel most of the rumors that are so rampant.

To answer the questions in a chronological order, sometime about 22 months ago the College was informed by the U.S. Attorney's Office that the campus was "a place of interest." About halfway between that initial conversation and the day before the raid another contact was made. Other than these two nonspecific conversations, no details of the ongoing investigation were made

known to the administration or to the campus police.

To answer the question of a mole posing as a student, Dr. Bortz said that the administration had "no knowledge of such an individual." The existence of such an individual cannot be confirmed by the Tiger.

However, on Tuesday the 10th of April (the day before the raid), the college administration and campus chief of police were informed of the impending drug bust on campus. The next morning, the Hampden-Sydney campus police were summoned to a rendezvous in Farmville with other law enforcement agencies, and agents prepared to serve warrants and make arrests.

When forces arrived on campus and began to make arrests, the rumor mill got underway. Numbers and names made their way across campus as quickly as the agents. At the end of the day, fourteen students were arrested at Hampden-Sydney. Those students have been placed on administrative suspension, which has caused more tension in and of itself. Facebook groups have called this suspension "a rush to justice."

However, the policies of Hampden-Sydney College (and those of Duke University) allow for and, in a way, mandate the removal of a student from the campus who is deemed dangerous to the well-being of the community. Such a suspension could occur in this situation, or in other situations such as a student who is potentially dangerous

to himself (suicidal) or otherwise dangerous to the community. If these students are found innocent, "they will be invited back" and it is "unlikely" that they would not be re-admitted to the school after reapplication, according to Dr. Bortz.

When asked about a possible motive for the administration to interfere with Greek Week activities, Dr. Bortz replied that "Greek Week is great. The last thing we would want to do is dampen Greek Week." However, when told that the arrests would occur on the Wednesday of Greek Week, the College could not act to stand in the way of the DEA and other agencies. "For a college, whether public or private...to act in conflict with laws...would be a very bad idea."

The bottom line is that, whether these laws are pleasant or not, these acts were illegal. The College feels that everyone (family, friends, classmates) are affected by these acts, and the administration supports the efforts of the agencies which are seeking to rid the campus of these dangerous activities. The College holds that "residence halls...are like one's home...and should be treated with respect." The College would not condone unjustifiable searches of these residences, and students should know this. When search warrants are issued, though, there are policies in place to be followed, and those policies were and will be applied evenly across the board.



The Global Warming Lie?

James Andrew Surface

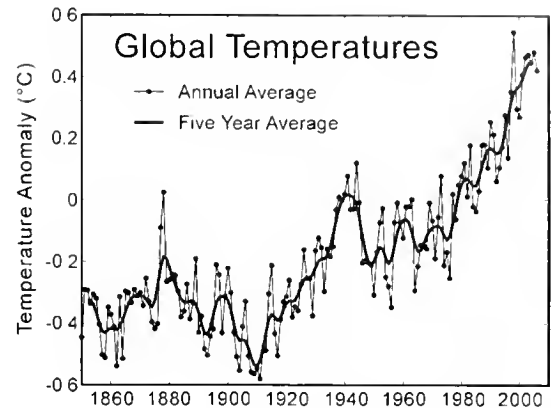
Global Warming has become a hot topic in both the political and scientific fields in the past decade, and even more so in the past few months. With the advents of both Al Gore's recent Global Warming proposal to Congress and the mandate for daily blackout hours in Sydney, Australia, to raise global warming awareness, the issue is increasingly coming to invade our personal and daily lives. Every day the details of global warming barrage us in the news. Additionally, new films have been released recently that tell us the catastrophic story of global warming, each one increasing the horror resulting from the "uncontrolled emissions" produced by our modern era of manufacturing and "environmental carelessness". In short, Global Warming has become an issue that can no longer be ignored: too many people are whistling its tune, claiming a dangerous future, advocating responsible energy usage. So, with the latter understanding, I would like to embark on a short sketch of the global warming controversy and a few of its problems.

First, the general concept of Global Warming is that the world's temperatures have begun to rise due to the increase of the greenhouse gas carbon dioxide, a by-product of car emissions and manufacturing processes. As the theory states, so-called greenhouse gases hold heat from the earth in the atmosphere by absorbing the reflected light (heat) off of the earth's surface from the sun. The more greenhouse gases in the atmosphere, the more heat will be held in the atmosphere, and the atmosphere temperatures will rise, increasing the temperature of the earth. In the next fifty years, the predicted change (depending upon the forecast model used) is anywhere from a 1-10 degree centigrade increase of temperature. Now this isn't much, but if the global temperatures continue to rise, our planet will fundamentally change—the polar ice caps will melt, our sea levels will rise, and the low-lying lands will be flooded and destroyed. However, the very first problem with the latter global warming model is that it calls for a

warming atmosphere, then a warming earth. The evidence, according to NASA scientists and climatologists, shows the earth warming before the atmosphere. Thus, the cause of the rising temperatures on the earth is not entirely from greenhouse gases holding in reflected heat.

Second, scientists have turned to ice core samples, geologic history, and past human historians who have recorded ancient climate data to sketch a short history of the earth's erratic temperature and carbon dioxide changes. Throughout the earth's temperature history (as up and down as it has been) carbon dioxide levels have risen and fallen with the global temperature average. The correlation scientists found seemed logical enough, and Al Gore included the graphs as a central theme to his argument in his recent Global Warming film. What is difficult to understand, however, is the relationship between carbon dioxide and temperature. It's clear the two relate, but using our scientific theory, the evidence that we have is only what I've said: the temperature and carbon dioxide levels correlate. When asked at a conference a few weeks ago about how they correlated, Gore replied, "It's very complicated, but it's clear that they do." What Gore missed in his graphs is a proper evaluation of cause of the temperature rise. If carbon dioxide gas were the primary culprit of temperature fluctuation, even in recent times, the carbon curve on graphs would rise sharply BEFORE the temperature curve did. However, the actual data as evaluated closely shows a carbon dioxide lag time instead. The evidence indicates a climate where carbon dioxide levels are controlled by temperature. Thus they correlate, but just exactly opposite of what Global Warming advocates like Gore claim.

Third, there is yet another problem, even aside from that of causation. The atmosphere is an extremely complex mixture of gases, forever changing, flowing constantly around the world, intermixing with numerous surfaces, being heated



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and chemically changed by living organisms, the earth's crust, and the heat from the sun. The atmosphere as we know it is composed of 78% Nitrogen, an inert and non-greenhouse gas, 21% Oxygen (also a non-greenhouse gas), <1% Argon (a noble gas, also inert and non-greenhouse), and 0.04% carbon dioxide, with other trace gases filling another fraction of a percent. One would expect that such a small fraction of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere would have to change dramatically in order to make a significant change in the earth's temperature. It may surprise many that carbon dioxide has a dramatic effect when levels are increased only slightly. A strong, healthy adult cannot tolerate more than a 0.5% concentration of carbon dioxide in the air, and spectrometric tests on carbon dioxide show that changing the carbon dioxide levels fractions of that percent affect the temperature retention of the air many times over. If carbon dioxide were completely removed from the air, the reduction of the Greenhouse affect, according to some scientists, would be around 12%. In other words, carbon dioxide is a significant "heat-holder", and so the correlation Global Warming advocates point out is significant, however the anthropogenic contribution is far less so. Only 4/10,000 of the atmosphere is carbon dioxide, and of that only 0.8% is annual anthropogenic contribution. Considering that volcanic activity produces more carbon dioxide emissions than all the other sources of carbon dioxide, including anthropogenic ones, combined, this is a small input into a large complex system. I personally

find it hard to believe that such a small thing would cause such a big problem that Global Warming advocates point to as being so simple.

So, in conclusion, Global Warming has many problems associated with it. In many cases, advocates forget to consider the effect the strongest greenhouse gas, water, has on our earth's temperature (water's temperature retention is three times larger than carbon dioxide's). Another strong factor in earth's temperature is the sun, the source of all of our energy. Many graphs have been produced correlating sun cycles with the earth's temperature cycles, and they match nearly perfectly. If you note the graph attached to this article, there is a strong correlation although with a delay of about 40yrs to the sun's activity and the carbon dioxide levels as well. As the sun warms the oceans, the oceans release carbon dioxide. Increased solar activity means more heat, and so on. Thus, I would urge everyone to reconsider their stance on global warming, to do more research on the topic and to be skeptical of all arguments involved in the issue. Global Warming advocates are simplifying the science behind the issue so much that the essence of the entire problem is lost, and anti-global warming individuals get so hung up in the science, that they sometimes forget the importance of caring for the earth. Hopefully, if this article has accomplished anything, it will have challenged the reader to be more cognizant of the science behind the issue.



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